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SUPPLIES MUST GO TO RUSSIA

U.S. Attitude To Japanese Protest

WASHINGTON, (Reuter).-Mr Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, at a press. conference made it plain that the United States adhered to the freedom of the seas policy in connection with the shipment of war supplies to Russia through the Pacific.

Asked whether the United States would insist on the free- General de Gaulle had offered to dom of the seas in carrying out put the Free French ports, in the shipments despite Japanese objections, Mr Cordell Hull United States as naval bases, replied that until that policy is revoked, it could be assumed that it_was in_effect.

- As regards the possibility of Japan making representations to the United States concerning shipments to pondent. Vladivestok, Mr Hull said that he would leave any statement on this point at present to the Foreign Office in Tokyo.

Nomura Secs Hull

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (UP),-The Japanese Ambassador, Admiral! Nomura conferred with Mr Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, for minutes to-day after which he de- the United States, the Free French Communist special courts. clined to reveal the subjects discussed, although he admited that disposal. Japanese resentment might exist on account of Russia's ability to obtain materials here which Japan has been unable to acquire.

Meanwhile reliable sources indi-- cated that the United States is momentarily expected to join Russia in firmly rejecting the Japanese protest against the shipment of American War materials to Russia via informed of the progress of the talks Vladivostok.

When Admiral Nomura arrived at Winston Churchill which took place the State Department to confer with somewhere, in the Atlantic, and led Mr Hull he said that he had brought to the formulation of what is now no formal diplomatic representations known as the Atlantic Charter, states from Tokyo. Questioned regarding "Reuter's" Lobby Correspondent. the Russian trade matter. Admiral Whole-hearted approval has been Nomura was non-committal but expressed by all Dominion Governasserted that he still hoped for peace ments to the British Government at TURN to Back Page, Column 3 the terms and aims of the charter.

Special to the "Telegraph"

VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP).—M. Pierre Laval, former Premier of France, and a pro-German, was attacked to-day by a Communist during a ceremony for the mobilisation of anti-Communist volunteers at Borgnis des Bordes barracks, Versailles, shot in the arm and liver and seriously wounded. M. Marcel Deat, editor of the Germancontrolled Paris daily "L'Oeuvre" was also wound-

Laval, with other prominent Frenchmen arrived at Versailles at 5 p.m. to attend the formal raising of the French colours over the barracks.

During the ceremony, two terrorists approached and shot at Laval from a few yards. One assailant, identified as Paul Colette, a communist, was taken to prison after being nearly lynched by bystanders.

The official party removed the wounded Laval to hospital. This marked the first terrorist attack since the Shaumburg manifesto was issued threatening to shoot hostages for attacks on Germans. Laval has received numerous threatening letters since the start of the Russian war.

Successful Operation M. Laval telephoned to his W. African

wife from the hospital at 8.45 p.m. and in a clear voice said that the bullets had been success-Bases For fully removed from his arm and also his liver, adding, "I will recover." The bullet wound in M. Deat's arm is not serious.

The third victim was Major Durvy whose condition is not serious. The shooting occurred during the LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). Hag-raising ceremony in the barracks -A report from America that courtyard when 1,200 volunteers were made ready to go to Poland.

Who's Who

Africa at the disposal of the M. Deat is regarded as one of the most outspoken pro-German, anti-Petain figures in Paris. Major Durvy is a member of the National Popular German influence at Dakar, was Rassemblement Party in Paris—ar sponsored by Germans. Deat is also "Reuter's" Diplomatic Corresa member of this group.

The shooting threatened to inaugurate a wave of German reprisals The Free French Headquarters in innsmuch as the new Nazi orders London stated that they had no knowledge of such an offer though provide for severe penalties for antiin any case the decision would be Nazi, anti-Vichy troublemakers

The French Government was inmade by the General himself at formed by telephone at 8,30 p.m. of From what is known of the the attacks. The Minister of Justice, M. Barthelmey arrived in Vichy at thought that if America considered the same time from Paris where he had instituted anti-terrorist, antithese ports would prove useful to

Condition Not Grave

At 10 p.m. the Versailles hospital grave. The bullet entered the r side above the liver and tore threthe abdomen without tearing intestine and went out the left without seriously injuring any

Dominion Governments were kept The assailant, Paul Collette, albetween President Roosevelt and Mr youth organization, enlisted in the Iranians. anti-Communist Legion which exyouths who were being mobilised. Laval's operation last 40 minutes M. Rene De Chambrun, another

LATEST

Iranian Cabinet Resigns, Report

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-According to an Iranian spokesman in

and Russian forces to forestall Nazl action, is progressing favourably. This map indicates the points from where the Allies are making their advance. The British attacks are mainly from Iraq and in the south, while the Soviets have made two penetrations from the north as indicated by the arrows.

Strong Russian Counter - Attacks Launched on the Dnieper

VICHY, Aug. 27 (Reuter). According to a Budapest message to the Vichy news agency to-night, Russian troops have launched counter-attacks "with all their available forces" on the lower Dnieper River battle-front. The Hungarians claim that so far all have been repulsed.

Rumanian Army Discord

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Gen-eral Cluperca, former Inspector-General of the Rumanian Army, has been shot for opposing the sending of the Rumanian Army to fight beyond the Dniester, according to rumours in Bucharest quoted by the Istanbul correspondent of the Inde-pendent French news agency.

He adds that 12 Rumanian Generals have resigned for the same

On Road To Moscow

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-"Annalist" writes: With blare of trumpets and roll of drums the Germans to-day announce the capture of Velike Lugi, a junction on the direct railway from Riga to Moscow. They claim a big bag of prisoners and 400 guns,

The area marks the junction of the armies of Voroshiloff and Timoshenko and it would be the natural place for the Germans to attempt to drive

The Russlan communique again speaks of severe fighting all along the front but does not mention any place specifically. It must be admitted that this severe reticence of Russian communiques does engender a certain degree of nervousness especially as it leaves the field clear for resound-TURN to Back Page, Column 3

GERMAN

PRESSURE

ON TURKEY

-New-Developments

Anticipated

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

dispatch to the "Daily Mail"

from Beirut states that renewed

German diplomatic pressure on

Turkey, coupled with the spec-

tacular military preparations in

Bulgaria and the Aegean Islands,

has resulted in the belief that

The report said that Ambassa-

Prisoner In Iran Action

EL. HIRIZ

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .- It is learned here that a large number of Germans and Italians are among the prisoners taken at Bandar Shapur. Ma ny Iranian naval prisoners were read with attention, states anti-Petalu political organisation also-taken at Bandar Shapur and Khorramshah.

SHAH SOLD ALL GRAIN TO NAZIS

Food Riots Break Out

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). -It is authoritatively stated in London that the Iran Governsaid that Laval's condition was not ment, tempted by favourable credit terms which the Germans offered, have sold for export virtually the whole year's grain harvest as well as stocks of teaand sugar with a complete disthough he belonged to a Communist regard of the needs of the

plained his presence amongst the Food riots have taken place in more comprehensive character. It is One of the most important acts of concentrations, it said, "The im-TURN to Back Page, Column 3

Supplies From Iraq It is estimated that in the oil areas of the southwest, the existing supplies will suffice for the barest needs

of the civil population only until September 15. In view of this lamentable state of affairs, orders have been given to

consignments from India.

DUKE OF KENT

He was escorted along streets the forces moving lined by Argyll and Sutherland into Iran, "Router's" Diplomatic lew weeks.

Legislative Council within a amount has been subscribed, he reterest - bearing. Business houses headed by a detachment of Royal Correspondent learns. hended by a detachment of Royal Correspondent learns...

Canadian Air Force personnel.

The Duke visited a factory of the Covernment must by this time be canadian Westinghouse Company and inspected its munitions section sons which led Britain and Russia fices, banks and other authorised might profitably be employed in factors which he lunched at No. 33

Correspondent learns...

It is presumed, although not also organise drives in England for the sale of certificates, or towns a special "Savings Week." These ideas might profitably be employed in

It is now known that air-1 borne troops were landed at the Haftkhel area to protect the employees of the Oil Company. The British are now in complete occupation of Bandar Shapur, Khorramshah. Sylaimanyah and Qasarsh-sikh. The whole area west of Khor-ramshah along the Shatt-al-Arab ramshah along the Shatt-al-Arab River right down to Abadan is in British hands.

naval floating dock secured in a passage of the river between Baselah and Abadan. Abadan Island is completely clear

Ready To Temporise? (BY "REUTER'S" DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT)

ed of Iranians.

Government seem disposed to come flowing," says the report. Already there is much dostitution, forward with fresh proposals of a

Sharaz, Ispahan, Yezd, Kerman and believed that the Shah informed Sir the saboteurs occurred at Trondheim portant British military conference Hamadan and even in the capital Reader Bullard, the British Minister where a "violent explosion was there is a serious shortage, and disin Teheran, that the Iranian Governcontent is rife.

in Teheran, that the Iranian Government would be willing to expel all
German aerial bombs." Germans except a few indispensable technicians within a week and even those would be removed as soon as says the report, especially in districts German Ambassador, Colonel Franz substitutes could be trained. ... Now that the two governments built important secret military morning and conferred with the have taken steps to reduce the evil establishments. of the German fifth columnist

ernment will no doubt receive the This represents something like one fullest consideration, but it is obvious month's supply and will meet the that the military operations that initial requirements. It will in due have been initiated cannot be course be supplemented by further suspended until the British and Soviet Governments are satisfied that

manocuvres this offer suggest n

Justice of Reasons

arrival at Hamilton, was greeted Government may seek a peaceful arrival at Hamilton, was greeted settlement with Britain and Russia, drafted to make this effective ling these certificates, as they are in there is little doubt that the Shah and it is expected the Bill will then of usually sixpence is made by He was escorted along streets appreciates the formidable nature of be ready for presentation to the a child and when the required

On the south bank of the Karun River, the British have occupied a payer death of the Karun Continued a continue death of the Karun Continued a continued a continue death of the Karun Continued a con

ARABIAN SEA

ing, acts of sabotage are steadily increasing, according to a Moscow report to-day,

"The German authorities have LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Now made recourse to mass arrests and that the blow has fallen, the Iranian concentration camps are full to over-

Many fires are raging in Norway, where the German Command have von Papen arrived in Ankara this

cent reports from Norway indicate Ambassador to Berlin has been

just concluded at Jerusalem zurveyed

Hitler is contemplating a moveto counter the Anglo-Russian LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Re- march on Iran. that despite the state of siege exist- dor von Papen is returning to Ankara to confer with M. Sarajoglu and cited that the Turkish

summoned to Hitler's eastern lfront headquarters after a

ANKARA, Aug. 27 (UP).-The Foreign Minister, M. Sarajogiu.

. Von Papen In Ankara

lightning visit to Ankara.

all possibilities."

Noting the reports of German

the General Officer Commanding the Somewhat tardy appreciation of the British troops to import at once into Circumstances. The proposals of the Iranian Gov The proposals of the Iranian Gov H.K. Soon to be Able to Buy War Savings Certificates It is hoped that very shortly Hongkong residents will be

all potential menace from the Axis able to purchase war savings certificates in the Colony. in Iran has been effectively counter-This was indicated officially this morning, when it was re-

vealed that the Secretary of State for the Colonies had ap-HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Savings certificates in a similar manner to which people at the Condon of reports that the Iranian formation in Covernment on Government and the Iranian Tagistation in Covernment of Covernment proved of the idea of making available to the Hongkong public Legislation is now being | aged to assist the war effort by buy-

after which he lunched at No. 33 to take action and of the importance centres.

Navigation School at Mount Hope. TURN to Back Page, Column 4 Schools will probably be encour-came available to the public.

H.K. People Were Aboard The Zamzam; Are Now Prisoners News has just reached the Colony that among the passen-

gers of the liner, Zamzam, which was shelled and sunk by a Nazi raider in the South Atlantic in April, were two former residents of Hongkong, Dr Robert Starling, formerly of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., and his wife.

in December 1938 and proceeded of American ambulance drivers. to Chicago to take a course in | . Later they were taken, with other chiropractic. It is believed that survivors, on board the German Dr Starling was wounded as he Zamzam's passengers to Bordeaux for her husband, whom three men in Europe, and are believed to be had carried to the side of the ship. in internment,

Dr Starling, who was in Just as she reached the bottom of Ankara, the Iranian Cabinet resigned charge of the Electric Company's the ladder, however, the boat pulled to-day, says Martin Agronsky, the Stores Department at North Swept away by the waves, she was later houled on to a raft by a party

presumably to counteract the

General's views, however, it

would gladly place them at America's

Dominions Approve

Atlantic Charter

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—All

Brazzaville.

he was on his way to. South raider, but as Dr Starling was serl-Africa to set up practice there there there to the prison ship that appeared next day and which took the was leaving his cabin. Mrs Starling, Dr and Mrs Starling are underwho is also well known in Hongkong, stood to have been subsequently raced down a ladder to hold a boat landed in German-occupied territory

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2nd \$50. 3rd \$30. 4th \$10 RULES

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will not be entitled to any other 3.—The prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section, Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published during the period of the Competition, and which must be pasted on back of entry.

4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph. have been taken in the Colony of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are ineligible. 6.-No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries,

.-All entries to be either black, sepia, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photographs are incligible. a.-Plotures submitted in sepia tones should be accompanied by

smaller print in black and white. 9.—No picture to entered in more than one Section.
10.—Mounts to be only white or cream. must be of one of the following sizes:--10×12, 15×20.

11.-No correspondence will be entered retition. 12.—Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South Ching Morning Post are not

permitted to compete. 13.-The decision of the Judges shall 14.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to compelitors on application at the Telegraph offices within seven

13,-The use of alleses is strictly

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Please use block letters and pasts one of these forms on back of each Entry.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Notice is hereby given that on account of furlough the Power of Attorney issued to Leon Henry George Frost, District Accountant at Hongkong for The Texas Company (China) Ltd. at Hongkong has been cancelled and recalled.

Similar Power of Attorney has been issued to Edgar Harold Fendlason who has been appointed District Accountant at Hongkong to succeed Leon Henry George

THE TEXAS COMPANY (CHINA) LTD. BY P. F. LeFEVRE, Managing Director. Hongkong, August 25th, 1941.

NOTICE

EVACUATION REPRESENTATIO COMMITTEE

A public meeting will be held on Thursday, August 28, at 6 p.m. in the Rose Room, Peninsula Hotel, for all husbands and re-Intives of evacuees and others who are interested.

(Sgd.) W. V. TAYLOR, Acting Hon. Secretary, Evacuation Representation Com-

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars. (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 1st day of September, 1941, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Choung Sha Wan, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

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that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required. to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the-Purchase-price:-

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IN ICELAND—This is a picture of British troops taking shelter among the rocks along the coast in practice manocuvres in Iceland, before the strategic North Atlantic island was occupied by U.S. forces.

Martial Procedure

London, June 17. The discussion on the second reading of the Naval Discipline (Amend-

inconvenience was caused by summoning a Court Martial of what I may call a major character when it was desired only to try a junior officer for a comparatively minor offence, and the Navul Discipline Act of 1915 was therefore passed which Fastern.—4363 Sung Sheung-nung, into the main Act.

time measure for what is known as a co Chan Wah, 10t Yu Chau St; 3530 Miss Disciplinary Court, This Court, while he wai-yiu (K.C.Y) to 93 Fuk Wa St. involve anything near the same inconvenience to the Service. Its constitution is simpler and less rigid, but it can only deal with a limited Land) to 34 The Peak. class of offences and its powers are

improperly leaving a ship or place of duty, absence without leave, profane swearing, drunkenness, etc., and nets to the prejudice of good order J. Coellio to be District Warden A. prohibited.

Court are those falling under Section 9 of the Act which reads as follows:

-- "Every person-subject-to-this-Act who shall desert his post or sleep d | be dismissed from His Majesty's Senior Warden. Service with disgrace or shall suffer such other punishment as is hereinafter mentioned."

Object of Bill

This section quite obviously contains some very serious offences as well as some comparatively minor mencing August 30, lecturer, Mr Wan ships or premises is subject to offices. The object of this Bill is to Kam-fun, L.A.R.P.S. bring the minor offences of Section C384 18 Essex Crescent, Kowloon Tong. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 0 9 into the Disciplinary Court pro- nm. commencing September 1; lecturer, be deemed to be in possession of cedure. It is at the discretion of the Chan Rwek-ying, L.A.R.P.S.

Commander-in-Chief or Flag Officer days and Thursdays at 7.30 p.m. comwhich are carrying out, and days and Thursdays at 7.30 p.m. comwhich are on the site of such work. whether he shall order a full Court Kwong Heung-wing, L.A.R.P.S. Martial or a Disciplinary Court, but and Fridays at 2.30 p.m. commencing Provision for price control is information of the September 0; lecturer, Mr Benson Wong, cluded. It is declared that no would, of course, be most likely to L.A.R.P.S. choose a Naval Court Martial.

in mind in asking for this change to Shamshulpo.—There will be a meeting exceeding the importer's price plus be made is where a junior officer has of District Wardens and Deputy District been negligent in the performance Report Centre. of his duties. Among cases which have actually occurred have been those "B" in conjunction with the A.F.S. will where small vessels of war have be held on Sunday. August 31, com- price at which a licensed dealer is been lost or damaged owing to such mencing 8.30 a.m. Report Centre will permitted to sell.

negligence, and where procedure procedure press,—Uniform, helmets.

The schedule fixes percentages for trader the proposed Bill ground along.

Dress,—Uniform, helmets. under the proposed Bill would clearly be most appropriate. The Dis- . The following qualified as an A.R.P. and metal-ware, ranging from a ciplinary Court procedure is only applicable to officers. The reason for this is that a rating can be punished A.R.P. Headquarters as follows. by the summary procedure provided by Section 56 of the Act without a Court Martial at all.

On Question, Bill read a second time, and committee of the Whole House.—Our Own Corof the Whole House.—Our Own Corof the Whole House.—Our Own Cor
Tespondent.

A.R.P. Headquarters as follows.

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Naval Court A.R.P. ORDERS HK Metals Director's Instructions For Control Coming Week

A.R.P. Orders by Wing-Commander A. II. B. Steele-Perkins, Director of Air Raid

Honorary Wardens The following honorary appointments have been awarded in recognition of the Divisional Warden. Strength Decrease

The following Wardens have been permitted to resign: Shaukiwan,-1003 Wong Kwal-por.

Gough Hill.—3510T Mrs M. Wadeson and 3905T Miss J. M. Critchett.
Central.—S/W 409 Ma Yick-wan. S/W 415 Shin Cheuk-fun, 2024 Miss Chan Chointo the main Act

Introduced a new section—No. 57— Miss Leung Yuen-fong.

Aberdeen.—1450 Tae Tim-fat dismissed Change of Address

retaining all the formality of the Quarry Bay,—D.S/W 503 Lee Kan-sing that a licence for the importation of Court-Martial procedure, does not (U.L.) to East Gate House. Talkoo. Bay View.—D. District Warden M. U. nny metals or alloys will be requirable Razack to 454 King's Rd., 1st floor (Tel. ed, to be known as the Hongkong Gough Hill.—S/W 1545 H. Dallinga (T. forms may be obtained at the office Leave of Absence

Enstern 2041 Miss Yu Mui-lin, The present Bill, therefore, merely Chan and S/W 511 Miss Leung Hon-kow, forms only. introduces a fresh type of offence into those which can, at the present time, be dealt with by Disciplinary Courts of this description. At present the offences are disobedience or using violent language to a superior. Gough Hill—G/W 1823 G W Behrman Figure 1 in the present of ing violent language to a superior Gough Hill.—G/W 1523 G. W. Behrman, cept by licence from the Metals officer, quarrelling or using providing speech or gestures, desertion, voking speech or gestures, desertion, warden A. L. Potter, till February 28. Semi-manufactured and manufactured, warden A. L. Potter, till February 28. Appointments

with effect from August 27, 1041:

Bay View To be Deputy Senior Wardens, 41 Cheng Tin-po and 2558 Young under this regulation nobody will be Hon-kuen. upon his watch or neglect to perform Western.—To be Deputy Senior Warden, the duties imposed upon him shall 4338 Pun Kwai-fong (Miss). Tsimshatsui,-2903 J. R. Gomes, to be

Transfore 4370T Miss A. Wong, from C.A.R.W. places specified on the licences. Headquarters to Upper Levels as 672T.
3504T So Pak-fal, from Bay View to
C.A.R.W. Headquarters.
Instructional Courses

Attestation.—There will be no attesta-The type of case which has been tion meeting in Kowloon next week.

> Examination Results Warden but is not available for A.R.P. Service .- Mr Tong Hok-wing, Civil Communications Cierical duty exercises will be held at

Victory Label Sales

Swell Bomber Fund

Yesterday's Bomber Fund collections included 1917 from the Eclectic Competition, from the Eclectic Competition from the Eclectic Competition from the Eclectic Competition, from the Eclectic Competition from t

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Officer

It is learned that H.E. the Governor has appointed Mr B. J. Lacon, route must be superscribed by required to pay to the ment) Bill in the House of Lords, organization in Hongkong, Major C. ernor has appointed Mr B. J. Lacon, organization in Hongkong, Major C. M. Manners to appears below:

14.00 (being 10% of the upset Lord Snell: It was found Divisional Warden. licensing of metals will be transferred from the office of the Controller of Trade to that of the Metals Controller, at Holland House, 1st floor,

The Director of Supply, with the consent of the Governor, has delegated all his powers relating to unmanufactured, semi - manufactured and manufactured metals and alloys to the Metals Controller, but without prejudice to the exercise of his powers by the Director of Supply, as he may think fit. In this connection it is notified

any metals or alloys will be requir-Metals Import Licence, and sample of the Metals Controller. Applicasick tions for the import of metals and alloys should be made on these

The following appointments are notified ed metals and alloys of every description, including ores and scrap, is

The offences which it is now proposed to include amongst those which can be dealt with by a Disciplinary

District "A":

Western.—G/W 1106 Lui Sai-sip to be Supply, also to be gazetted, sets out regulations for the control of the ping-sham to be Acting Deputy District "B":

Wardens, District "B":

Wardens, District "B":

It provides for regulating the guan-An order by the Director of titles of metals, of any description. which a person may have in his permitted to have a total quantity of more than three tons except by special licence from the Metals Controller. Metals must be kept at

If is provided that all dealings in metals shall be entered in properly kept books, and a return of such Wardens' Classes in Chinese (Syllabus transactions, and of stocks, must be made during the first week of every

Contractors or sub-contractors will Control of Prices

licensed dealer shall, without the written permission of the Metals Controller, sell any metals at a price such percentage as is set forth in a any metals at a price exceeding the

55 separate descriptions of metals minimum of 5 to a maximum of 15

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Air Mail to Rangoon to connect with the British Overseas Alrways Service will until further notice be closed on Mondays and Fridays. Correspondence for despatch by this "C.N.A.C."

The public are reminded that it is a breach of postal regulations to anclose in a postal cover communications intended for persons other than the addressee,

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Small Packet Post-to-all countrie is suspended. INWARD AIB MAILS

Air Mall by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 21st August. Aug. 28. Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 2nd September Sept. 9.

OUTWARD AIR MAILS Thursday, Aug. 28 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via "Pan-American -Airways and Trans-Atlantic

Bervices." K.P.O. Reg. Aug. 28, 5 p.m. Ord......Aug. 28, 5.30 p.m.

G.P.O. Reg.Aug. 28, 5 p.m. Ord.Aug. 28, 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 29 Air Mall by Air to Rangoon to connect with the British Overseas Airways."

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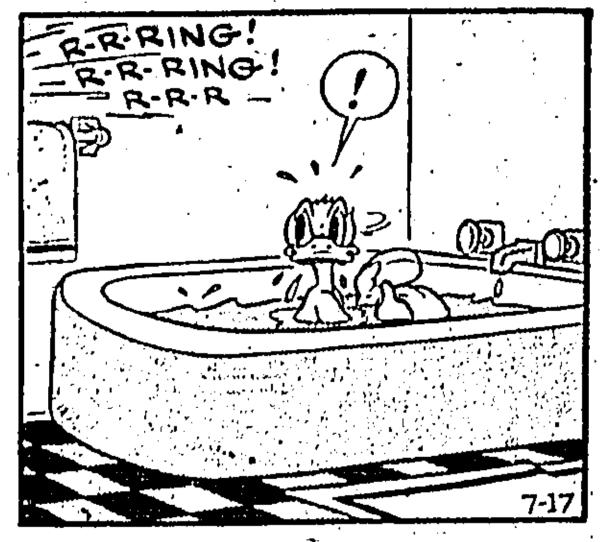
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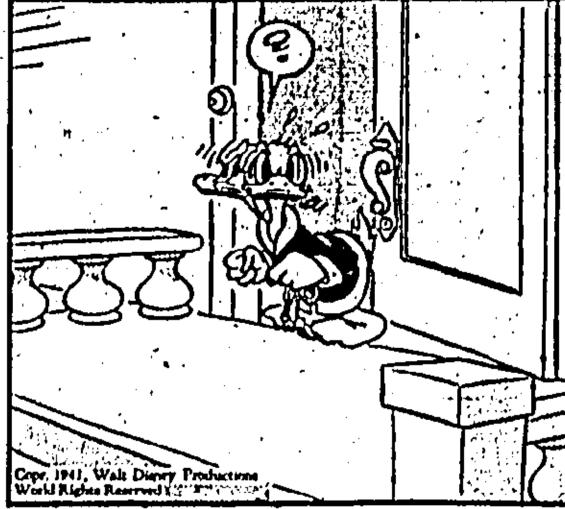
Benny Goodman. American jazzy band leader, has called on band leaders to turn over their aluminium mutes and trumpet derbies to Uncle schedule to the order, and no person Sam for the manufacture of air-

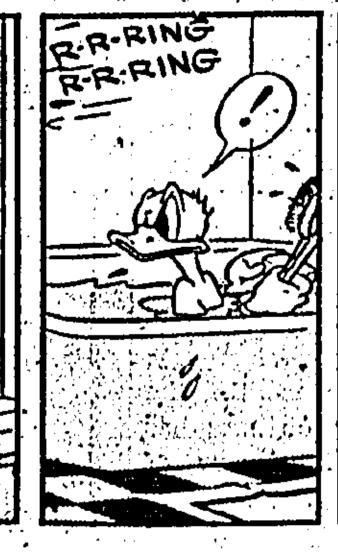
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author of "Goodbye, Mr Chips" and

"Lost Horizon"

The Story So Far:

married Stella Bergen, a beautiful refugee who has been a companion

to his mother. They are happy but the erratic, morbid side of Philip's

nature develops more and more. He secretly kills Stella's pet kitten

because his friend, Ward Andrews, has given it to her. He becomes

obsessed by the notion that she and Ward are in love. As head of a

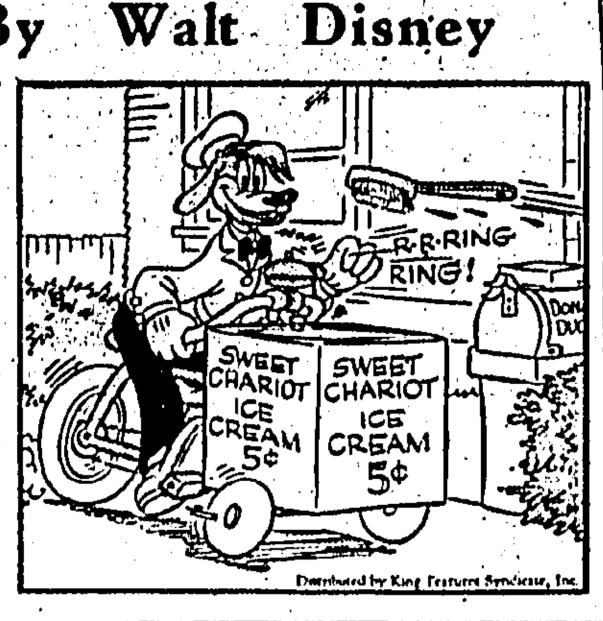
steel works he antagonizes the men and almost causes a riot. Then, one

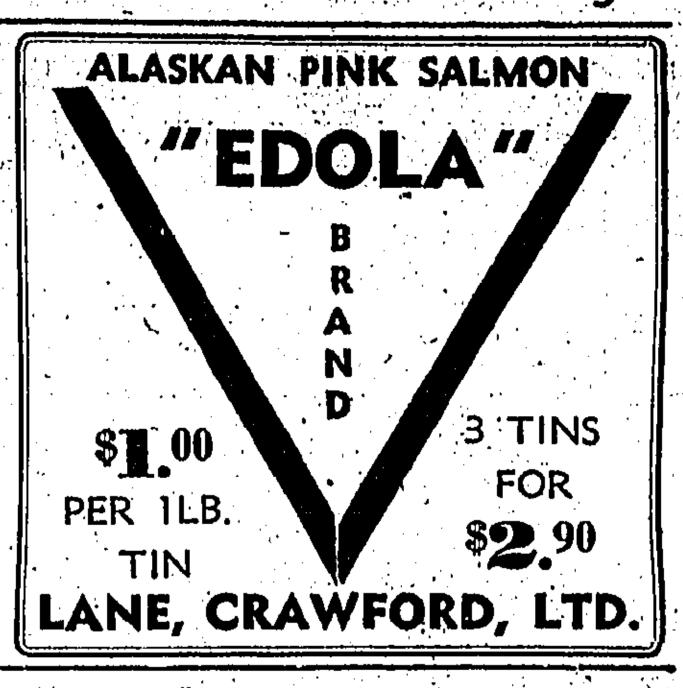
day, nearly crazed, he tries to push Ward into a steel furnace. That

night, Ward confronts him with it. They quarrel and Ward leaves to

go to London. Philip has won but at the same time he feels that he has

Seemingly normal, intelligent and attractive Philip Monrell has





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Inconsistency

appeared, however, the defence slam. against slams is easier than that against mere game contracts, and was in the fact that quite obviously, there is no excuse for such a play he changed his mind in midstream. as West made in the following deal: Even though he had first round trump

South dealer. Neither side vuinerable. Match-point duplicate, ...

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As may be observed, South was anything but timid in his bidding. Having opened with a minimum heart bid, he later blithely accepted his partner's slam invitation.

6 ♥ (I) Pass Pass

West, after considerable thought, decided to open a low spade. Dummy ducked and East's queen lost to the ace. Declarer led a low heart to the king, West ducked, and a second round was led to the ten. West again held up, but took the third round, then, after much more squirming and brow-wrinkling (during which time East stared mournfully at his club queen with the uneasy conviction that she would a four apade contract, with South the soon be torn from his grasp), con-|declarer? Opening lead heart acc.

ACROSS

-Collection of facts

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EADING against a slam is a pretty, firmed East's gloomy forebodings by ticklish proposition; hence, with shifting to the singleton club. Derare and obvious exceptions, a player clarer's 'vital club "guess" turned cannot be blamed if his selection into a certainty, and after drawing goes wrong. Once the dummy has West's last trump he spread his

> The inconsistency of West's play control he properly refused to open his singleton club, being afraid (as he explained later) that such a lead would give declarer a free finesse if East held a minor honor in the suit But, if the singleton club would have been a bad opening lead, what words can be found for the same lead after the dummy appeared? By that time West could see that declarer's opening heart bid and later slam bid had been based on the A-J of spades, the Q-J-10 of hearts, and possibly the queen of diamonds, Surely, it was inconceivable that he could lack the club king.

> Of course, declarer might have guessed the position of the club queen if left to his own devices, but poor East would gladly have taken his chances on that!

To-morrow's Hand South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

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FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS the house was as silent as the grave. Philip stayed in his room and ate his meals as if he were a man in solitary confinement. And until the late hours of the morning, he would write in his diary, his pen flying, his lips twisted into a peculiar smile.

One night Stella could bear it no longer. She knocked on his door and when she stepped in, Philip was sitting before the fireplace scanning some letters.

"Stella. This is an unexpected pleasure. Please sit down. I'm just reading your last letter to Mother."

She drew in her breath shorply. He had taken them from the post before they were sent. "Youyou opened them?"

"Of course. All. And never one word of complaint. Nobody can say you're not a loyal wife."

All at once, he rose and cametoward her. "We're so unhappy, aren't we darling?" he asked gently. "All three of us. You, beenuse you love Ward and have to stny with me. Ward, because he loves you and can't have you. And I, because nobody-loves me."

Now his voice softened even more. "We must put an end to it, Stella. We two together." His eyes were glittering madly. "Then I'll have you all to myself at last." Slowly, his hands went toward her throat. "Don't be frightened dorling. It's so easy and you know I wouldn't hurt you-"

Her terrified scream cut through his words, "No! No! Don't!" Sobbing hysterically, she fan from the room.



-- THAT NIGHT, when the I moon was high, Philip

watched her as she crept out of the house, wearing a coat and carrying a suitcase. So she was gone. He felt all twisted inside. She was running to Ward. What he had always feared, had happened.

The next day he telephoned Ward in London and, just as he had expected, Stella was there with him. No. Ward informed him, she was not returning. She had suffered too much. She was going to try to make something else of her life.

But Philips was his most persuasive self. "Oh, I know, she was perfectly right. I deserved it. She can have the divorce whenever she wants. I'd like to talk to you about that as soon as possible. No. Please, not in London. I'd be too near Stella. You know how. I

And so it was arranged—against Stella's better judgment. Ward was to come out to Chassingford Into the next day.

DHILIP. WAS QUITE I PLEASED with himself. It had been easier than he thought. Now he went ahead with his plans. They were diabolically simple, yet perfect to the last minute detail. He got them under way a few hours before Ward was expected.

First be sent Clark, the butler, off to mail some packages, taking caré to give Annie and Cook the day off. But before Clark left he made an enigmatic statement about locking all the doors and windows. Clark was rather surprised.

Philip laughed, "Not that I'm. expecting burglers. But you never know, Everybody has some encmies, haven't they?"

When the servants were all gone he went into the library and tried out his device. He placed a hunting knife between the door that! led to the hall and the door post. Then he advanced to the tip of the blade to see that it touched his heart. Satisfied that the knife was in position he copened the door. The knife dropped to the out his hand, "I'm going to. And

"Not that I'm expecting burglars," said Philip. "But you never know. Everybody has some enemies, haven't they?"

floor. Then he staggered backwards a few steps as if measuring how far a body would fall. After I may do, you and Stella are the that he polished the knife with his handkerchief until blade and handle shone. Then he replaced it in the door crack and tled it to the bell rope in such a way that it seemed as if the knife handle were the bell handle.

"His next step was to spray the" grass between the French windows of the drawing room and the garage. The earth was soon soaking wet. It would take footprints



THE WAS QUITE READY II for Ward when the latter arrived and graciously went out to meet him, leading him over the moist garden into the library. Then he brought out some scotch and soda. "Oh," he said suddenly, "Would you mind ringing for some ice? The bell's right over your

Ward obliged but suddenly Philip laughed, "How stupld of me. There's no one at home. I sent Clark into Chassingford. Never mind. I suppose we can do with-

Now Philip began to talk gaily. , feverishly, about everything under the sun. His eye was on the clock however.

But finally Ward cut in brusquely. "I haven't much time, Philip. Hadn't we better get down to business? You said that you'd like to talk over arrangements for the divorce--"

.There was a sound from outside. Phillip had been waiting for it. That was Clark returning. Now, all at once, he raised his voice angrily. "Ward, I should have thrown you out of the house long ngo-when you were cheating me and lying bohind my back. Yes, let's drop the pretence. I thought you were my friend and you stole my wife. I picked her out of the gutter, and she threw herself at the first man she met." He was pounding on the desk in rage.

"If you don't stop," Ward shouted back, "I'll break your neck. Leave Stella out of this. She's left you and that's that."

But, all at once, Philip was calm, "Ward I'm sorry," he said with the deepest sincerity. He was satisfied now. Clark must have heard the noise of the quarrel. "When I'm upset, I say horrible things. Yes, I'll give her the divorce. Please go now."

Bewildered, Ward stared at him. "You know Philip old boy, you really ought to take a hold of yourself. You ought to get nway from this house for awhile."

Philip smiled quietly and held

Ward-please don't think badly of me. Whatever I've done, whatever two people I've loved most in the

Deeply moved, Ward gripped his hand. Then he turned and left,

TWAT-NIGHT-a-high-windwas blowing when Clark walked into the library. The French windows were open. A dim light was burning. Then suddenly the old man uttered a cry and started back in horror.

Philip Monrell was lying on the floor dead, a hunting knife embedded in his heart!

The arrest and trial of Philip Monrell's suspected murderer was swift and dramatic. There seemed to be no question of it. Ward Andrews had killed his best friend. Standing there in the courtroom, Stella watched Word, erect and pale in the prisoner's dock, listening to the evidence against him. His footprints had been found in the garden. His fingerprints were on the knife. Clark, the butler, had heard his master voice his fear against "enemies." And later, there had been the violent quarrel between the two men.

The Solicitor General faced the jury. "Gentlemen, you have only to ask yourselves one question. Dld Ward Andrews kill Philip Monrell? If the answer to that question is 'Yes' then you are bound to return against the prisoner the verdiet of GUILTY OF WILFUL MURDER."

· FOR LONG MOMENTS, L Stella sat there with her head buried in her hands. She dared not look up when the jury, filed back, when the foreman rose.

"Guilty sir," said the foreman in answer to the Court Clerk's query, and it was like a death-knell in

Outside, she was given a few tense moments with Ward, "Parling," she begged, "don't give up hope. We're going to light this thing. We'll appeal. I've been talking to your counsel. He's sure we've got a good chance-if-" She hesitated.

Ward looked at her closely. "If

Her voice was low. "If only you'll plead relf-defence."

"I sec." His smile was strange. "At last I'm to admit what everybody believes. You believe it too, Stella, don't you?" Her face was averted. "Don't say anything darling because, well, you see, Philip's got us just where he

(To be concluded to-morrow.)



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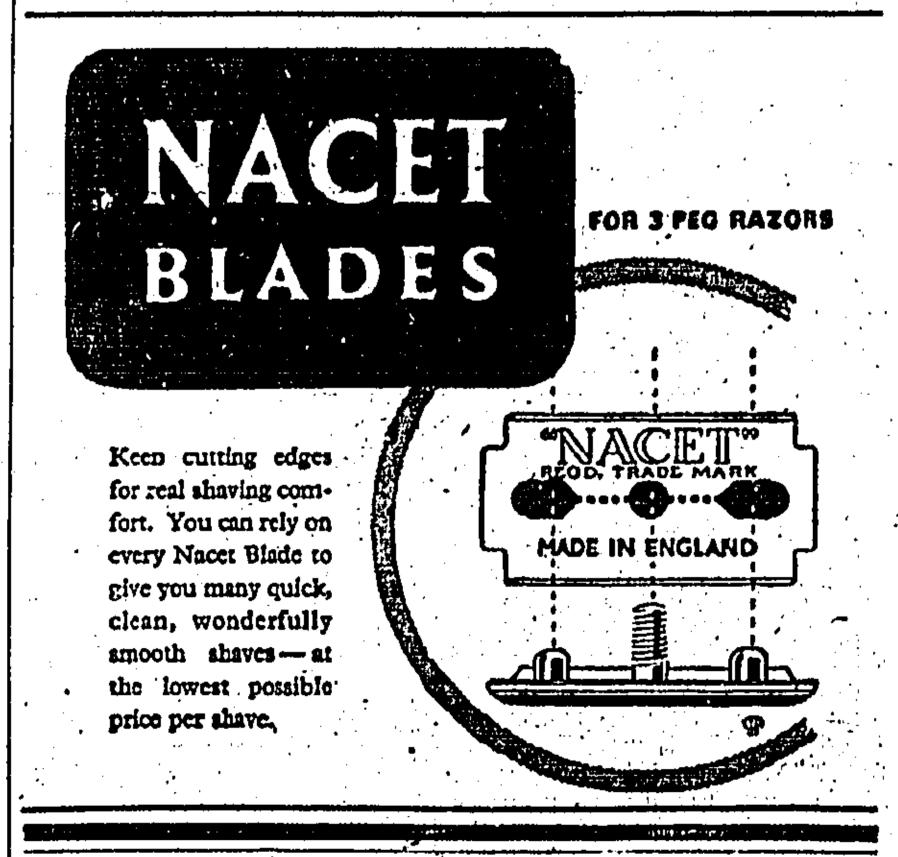
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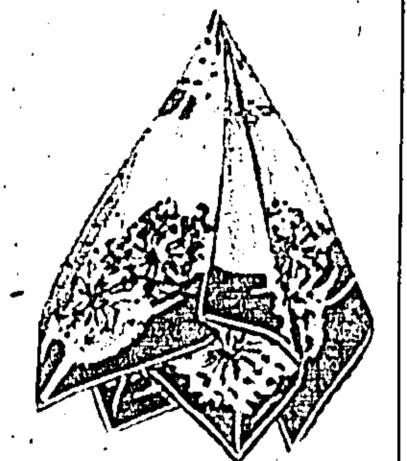
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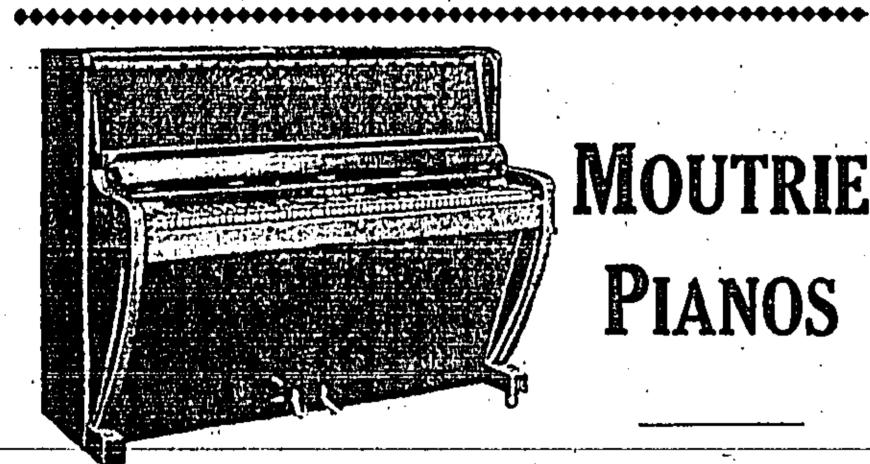
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" Undoubtedly a dream, Sir, since I took the precaution of evacuating the bowl to my pantry when Lord

Henry began to sing."

"None, Sir."

"No casualties to any of the

guests?" "No, Sir. And judging from the

amount of Rose's consumed, there will be no beadaches this morning either. We got through six and a half bottles of Rose's Lime

"Well, it's all in a good cause. And now, get me a really big breakfast. And give the goldfish a double ration of auts' eggs, just to celebrate their "Very wise of you, Hawkins. | hairbreadth escape."

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TIME TO ATTACK?

IT would appear to an amateur student of strategy that the development of the war has opened great possibilities to the Imperial command. At Home we have now ar army that must be the best in the world after a summer of strenuous training with the best weapons and with a backbone of veterans of several hard-fought though unsuccessful campaigns in France, Norway and elsewhere. Our production has had relief from continuous bombing and has made great progress. With such forces it is certain that we can hold freedom's most important citadel from any invading forces that Hitler can produce within the next twelve months. The question-for our command to consider is whether the British Garrison should be kept at home or used to invade the-continent-

The number of planes we can afford to send over Germany these days and nights would indicate that we have sufficient to lead, protect and consolidate an invasion force across the Channel especially as the distance is short enough to maintain a constant aerial service. With the Channel blocked at both ends, parachute troops could be dropped fifty miles behind the French coast to tackle the enemy held ports while naval and air protected transports laid slege from the opposite face. Once paths to the principal ports were laid clear a dozen self-contained armies could cut right across to Switzerland. When the success of a north to south corridor had been determined, the risk of further depleting Britain's garrison could be taken and the thousands of trained men who had been prepared for in vasion as well as defence could be released from that zone to free all France of the Nazi troops.

The further question then arises whether to sustain the offensive and press on through the lowlands into Germany or south into Italy or to consolidate our position. The present tendency is all against permanent defences but we should need terrific strength and we must have a powerful dose of the blitz ready in order to brush the enemy in this one great blow. Russia has struck a great blow at Germany's strength and we certainly shall not give her the opportunity of recuperating if and when she calls halt on the. eastern front.

In considering this offensive we cunnot afford to take too much notice of Japan. We have offered legitimate conciliation and we have laid our plans if this falls. We cannot expect to win all along, the line immediately and we are no doubt prepared to suffer temporary reverses to achieve our main object. It will hive every Allied subject thrill to consider how near must be the day when the fortunes of war

Germany's Major Blunder

By Victor Gordon Lennox

Diplomatic Correspondent, London "Daily Telegraph" For twenty-two months the pendulum of war fortunes, has swung steadily in favour of aggressor Germany. To-day we see Germany Inbouring in the toils of her first major miscalculation or blunder. The German armies were to have been in Moscow within eight dayssome say "ten.

By now Russian organised resistance was to have crumbled, revolution broken out, a Quisling Government installed in the Kremlin and the scene was to have been set for presentation to Britain—and the world -of the Nazi New Order péace programme. But Hitler is still far from the objectives which his armies were to have taken, while the United States, recovered from the first shock of finding Russia and Britain fighting on the same side, is accelerating its progression from non-belligerency to para-belligerency. That is precisely what Hitler schemed to anticipate. If he realises that he is in danger of failing we may expect to see the most reckless employment of his available forces in a frenzied endeavour to catch up with the original programme.



Because Russia is opposing a stubborn resistance to the enemy and hitherto has prevented him from gaining his objectives we must not lightly assume that the outcome is a foregone conclusion. No such easy optimism is to be found in

In London we are aware that the Soviet leaders are fully conscious of the great weight of pressure which the German forces can bring to bear on the whole length of this tremendous front. At the present time the distraction which Britain can cognises that these must primarily be confined to air operations with possible naval diversions and consolidation of the British positions in theatres not yet wholly satisfactory. Such would be the situation in Libya — incidentally the area where additional tanks might be employed with advantage by British forces.



Meantime Britain will be doing everything possible to collaborate with the United States of the American Continent. In | Washington it seems to be well- | has been shown already in An additional war would place believed that bases for the use Manchukuo, where the Japanese the utmost strain on Japan's of American ships and aircraft manage to live as officials and Mercantile Marine, and two sent to the Pacific and there would to American war vessels patrol- Indies are the great reward. ling the sea lanes along which supplies for Britain can be other tropical products which it must reckon on the British

At present one does not know | goods. Roosevelt and his Ministers wish to establish in the Central and Southern Atlantic areas. to the United States or permitting the Portuguese Atlantic or open up a campaign to the be the signal for British counprotection. Indeed, the Portuguese Government, still fearful lest the German military machine may one day be launched against the Iberian Peninsula, seems determined to establish itself and its armed forces in those island areas.

In these directions we may look for a careful diplomatic due regard to the repercussions Latin American states.



"We are lucky! I've heard that the Nazis are preparing more convoys."

Japan's Dilemma

The Japanese Government is in the difficult position of being a member of the Axis group aggression with Russia. If the sibly India. Government in Tokyo desired to escape from this dilemma and to remain neutral, it could, no Another certain factor in the

would follow from a joint Axis mainland of China. The reern half of the island of Sakha- carrying Japanese exports which lin and the Maritime Province must be sold abroad if the of Siberia, which would be economy of the nation is not to Japan's share of the spoils, are be crippled and in importing the not particularly valuable. True, petroleum, iron ore, rubber, any in the world. These are supthere are fishing and mining cotton, wool, and other products rights of some value to be ac- in which Japan herself is dequired, but the Maritime Pro- ficient and which are necessary vince has a severe climate and for her present war effort in securing the outer defences | Japanese settlers do not thrive against China and for her own in cold weather countries. This industries. are now available in Northern | traders but have made no head- additional wars would create an Ireland. They will be of great | way as farmers. The attractive impossible situation. value to United States ships prizes in the Pacific lie to the carrying supplies to Iceland and south, and here the Dutch East . ___

> a great expedition for the in- gressor. ... vestment and selge of Singapore Whichever war Japan decided losing side. Indies.

By LORD STRABOLGI

and under obligation to Germany The governments of Britain, out and, in the meantime, all and Italy to help them in the Australia and New Zealand vessels flying the Japanese flag event of another Great Power could never allow the Japanese would be liable to capture. entering the war. Russia is to establish themselves in the Japanese trade to the enstward now in the war, and this condi- Dutch East Indies, if for no either through the Panama tion might therefore be sup-other reason than that a suc- Canal or round Cape Horn. posed to have been fulfilled by cessful Japanese lodgment in would be at the mercy of the the outbreak of war between this chain of rich islands would British Navy. Germany and Russia. On the be regarded as a preliminary to I am leaving out of account any other hand Japan has a recent attacks in the future on both possible action by the United States treaty of neutrality and non- Australia and Burma and now of America. The American Governtreaty of neutrality and non- Australia and Burma and pos-

doubt, be argued that Germany situation is that Japan's rehad made the first hostile move sources would not permit her to cutting off of all oil supplies from the against Russia and that Japan engage in a first-class campaign U.S.A. has not been consulted before- against Russia in the East simultaneously with a great The Japanese Government still drive to the south against the clings to the tradition of ob- Malay archipelago and the serving international law and Dutch Islands. It is known not engaging in unprovoked that the Japanese Mercantile taken to concentrate on war to the aggression on the German Marine is barely sufficient for south, that is against the British most dangerous thrust is that model. We see evidence of this Japan's present commitments. Empire, the Japanese Government directed against Leningrad. In in the fiction that the Sino- In 1939 the Japanese Merchant would have to anticipate the russians, these circumstances it is under- Japanese conflict is not a war, Navy numbered 2,337 vessels, thus presenting Japan with a war on standable that the Russian mili- but an "incident." Neverther of 5,629,845 tons. New ships three fronts. It is known that the tary mission in London is ask- less, if the Japanese Govern- have been built since the out-Russian military and aerial forces in ing for all measures of aid and ment decided that it was in the break of the present war, and a Siberia are independently organised ultimate interest of the nation number have been lost by Ger- and that there is a large force of provide. Moscow probably re- to intervene, reasons and ex-man submarine attack and other long-range bombers stationed in the cuses would be forthcoming. warlike actions. On balance, it Maritime Province. From there,

Mercantile Marine totals more victory over Russia. The north-mainder is fully employed in

Attack on Russia

Now if the Government of Here is the oil, rubber and Tokyo decides to attack Russia, Japanese activity in would be taken both on political (Thailand), the important but in the highest interests of the Unfortunately, although Por- ment of the Dutch East Indies, should be successful and, in difficulties are increasing. tugal is Britain's oldest ally, and other activities are all any case, prolonged. For the The political side of the blitzkrieg' Dr Salazar, her all-powerful evidence of a Japanese move to sake of public opinion in Russia has failed, firstly because the antici-Premier, has no liking for the the south. The Government in it is necessary that all available pated uprising amongst the neutrals idea of leasing or lending bases Tokyo must decide whether it aid should be given, and a Communism has not materialised, will attack Russia in the north Japanese attack would have to and secondly, because the Russian islands to pass under American | south. The latter would entail teraction against the new ag. revolt. The statesmen in Pokyo

and the territory surrounding upon, she would immediately it. It is quite certain that lose her scaborne trade outside any case, be strengthened by the Japan would have to beat the the northern Pacific. Japanese British Empire in this vast area commerce with the rest of the before serious headway could be world must pass to the west-where, in suggesting that Great made against the Dutch East ward either through the Straits It is absolutely certain beyond by the fortress of Singapore, or Berlin and allowing Germany, and approach from Washington and any doubt that any Japanese through the Torres Straits to Russia to light it out alone. It is London—one which will pay movement of hostility against the north of Australia. How-now clear to all observers that there the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese was never any such intention at on opinion in certain of the automatically involve her in war war operations against Singa- Russian peoples will continue in with the whole British Empire, pore they would be long drawn military partnership to the end.

By Billiken

ment has declared that it will not tolerate any alterations in the status quo with regard to the Dutch East Indies. Even if the Japanese left the Dutch East Indies alone for the time being the Government in Tokyo could reckon as a certainty on the

As the Dutch oil supplies would also be cut off Japan would have to live on her reserves of petroleum.

In the event of the decision being would have to anticipate the Russians and commanded and self-contained. is doubtful if the Japanese these bombers could attack the crowded and vulnerable Japanese cities. Russia also has numerous The statesmen in Tokyo have, than 6,000,000 tons. A great notilla of submarines at Vladivostok nevertheless, to remember that part of it is engaged in supply- which could do considerable damage no great economic advantages ing the immense armies on the in the Sea of Japan and which might interfere with supply ships and troopships serving the needs of the Japanese armies in China.

Japan has a great asset in her Navy, the third largest in the world. It consists of ten super-dreadnought battleships, two of which are just completed and are as powerful as ported by two brand-new smaller battleships of the pocket battleship type, six aircraft-carriers, of which two are quite now, eight heavy cruisers, thirty light cruisers, about a hundred good destroyers and fifty to sixty submarines. Nevertheless, the situation of the German and Italian Navies is such that considerable British reinforcements could be always be the nightmare of the in-tervention of the United States of America with an even more powerful Fleet in the highest state of efficiency and preparedness.

Lastly, to add to the difficulties of Japan needs, and a ready-made Empire 'immediately declaring Japan's decision. Is uncertainty market for her manufactured war on Japan. This decision about the outcome of the major struggle in Eastern Europe between the German and Russian armies. what further outposts President French Indo-China and Siam and strategical grounds. It is However this develops, the Russians have succeeded in resisting the abortive economic negotiations British Empire that Russian re- greatest blitzkrieg the German High undertaken with the Govern-sistance to the German armies Command has yet undertaken and there is evidence that Germany a

and even the belligerents against masses show no signs of disunity or must consider the danger of the rulnous step of coming in on the

The peace party in Tokyo will, in signing of the Anglo-Russian Militury Pact. The German propagandal had been active in Tokyo, as else-Britain would seek a favourable of Malacca, which are dominated opportunity for negotiating a separate peace with the Government of London, and that the British and

Enemy Strongholds In Mid. East Battered

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Libya. — Soveral targets in Circuaica and Tripolitania were attacked on the night of August 25-26. Tripoli harbour and dumps near the town were again heavily bombed. A particularly violent explosion was seen to hurl masses of debris high into the air and was followed by a bright fire and a number of other fires were started near the fort and power station.

At Benghazi several bombs were dropped on railway sidings and an enemy encampment. The same night, aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm bombed the harbour of Bardia and obtained direct hits on ships and started fires among petrol dumps.

Bombers of the South African Air

of the R.A.F. altacked enemy ships figure for 1931 and possibly an obtained on one vessel and 60,000,000. another ship was hit and left sinking. Although generally it is unofficially Malta Defended

chased back to Sleily, where three of them were shot down, one falling in

a village. Several other enemy fighters were

badly damaged. Cyprus.--R.A.F. fighters intercepted and shot down one Savoin-09 off

Famagusta yesterday. Abyssinia.—Enemy positions at Wolchefit and Gondar were bombed and machine-gunned yesterday by aircraft of the R.A.F. and S.A.A.F. From all these operations three of our aircraft are missing.

STALIN STALLS U. S. REQUEST TO OBSERVE WAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Renter) Asked whether any naval aid was being prepared for Russia, the Secretary of the Navy, Colonel

ference that he had nothing in mind. American Frank Knox, replied at a press con-He replied negatively to questions whether he planned to send a naval officer to the forthcoming Moscow talks or an additional Naval Attache to the Moscow Embassy.

As regards the war in Russia, Colonel Knox said the Government had made repeated futile requests to send American observers to the The operation of all American fighting zone, "I wish you fellows would try to work on Joe Stalin to ernment direction through the operaget some observers to the front."

SIMLA, Aug., 27: (Reuter) .- The Government of India have announced allocation and utilisation. that owing to a severe shortage of places of amusement.

POPULATION OF INDIA

Substantially Below 400,000,000

SIMLA, Aug. 27. (Reuter).— Force bombed and heavily damaged The preliminary census returns transport 'yehleles near Resuenna for India's populations taken early this year disclose an Mediterranean.-Medium bombers increase of 46,000,000 over the Central Mediterranean yes actual increase of approximately

assumed that India's population A number of Macchi 200s which numbers 400,000,000, the census approached Malla yesterday evening reveals 389,000,000. The 1931 census were engaged by R.A.F. fighters and gave 353,000,000 but this included Burma with about 14,500,000.

New Zealand

-The Defence Minister, Mr Jones, conscripts will be called to arms as announced to-day the proposed early as September 25. formation of a New Zenland Army tank brigade for overseas and the Sumatra, according to a scheme establishment of an armoured already operating in Java.

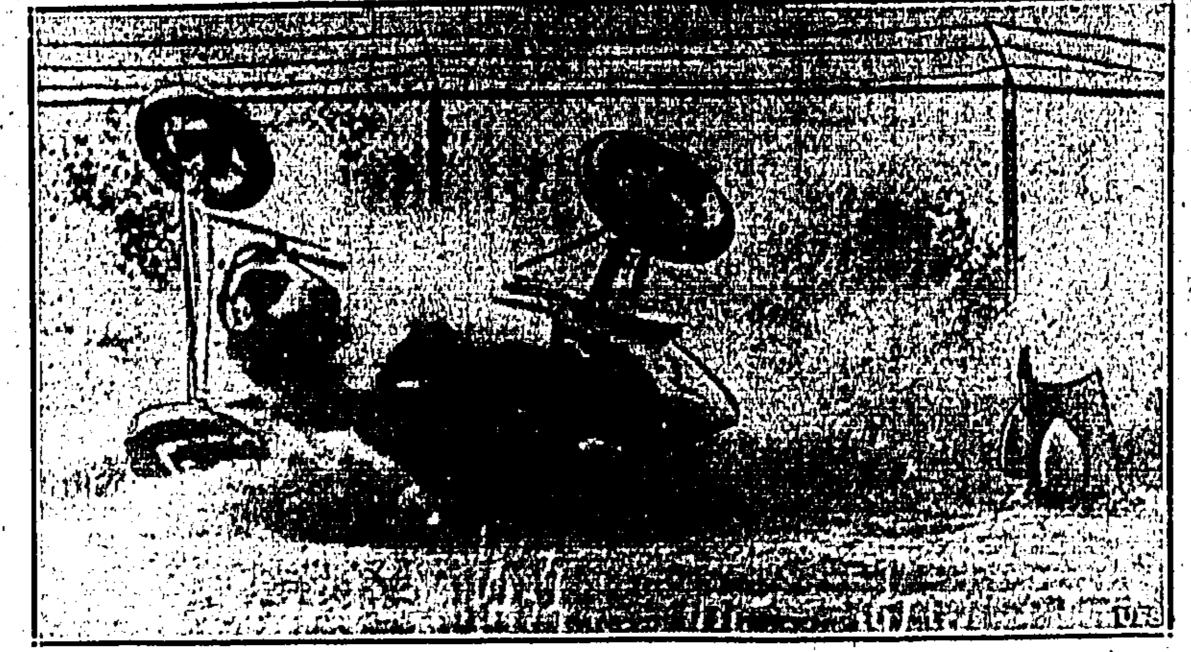
vehicles fighting school. from overseas and officers are being whereby all persons "of no nationlent by the British War Office to act ality" between the ages of 16 and

The training of the Brigade, starting soon, will be continued in an advanced form when the Brigade joins the Expeditionary Force. Three of the officers will be officers of the Royal Armoured Corps:

Tankers Pooled

NEW YORK, Aug. 27_(Reuter).tankers has been brought under govtion of the Tanker Control Board, it was announced to-day.

An official stated that there is no a forced landing on the coast close tended that the Queen of the Nether- astute minds grasped the fact intention to commandeer tankers but to Lisbon and the other at Foreira lands could not make a decree out- that this blue water, Mussolini's available for the erection of re- the Board would pool the ships and available for the erection of re- the Board would pool the ships and sidential or office buildings and direct operations with a view to Both planes were burned out but seem completely to render impotent color the problem of graduations. ensuring greater efficiency.



HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

HE GOT AWAY-It looked like sure death for Cy Roberts of Salamanca, N. Y., as his racing car overturned in a midget auto race speed event at Little Valley, N. Y. But Roberts stepped from his wrecked car and walked away, only to collapse later from fractured ribs and body bruises.

.E. I. Native Conscripts Arms in Sept.

BATAVIA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—It WELLINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter), smoothly and rapidly that the native

Home Guards will be organised in The N.E.I. Government have more-

60 residing in the N.E.I. or employed Exports Last Year

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-The in 1940, according to the Chairman living here. of the Council of the British Chamber of Commerce for the N.E.I. to-day. Japan retained second place; Holland took third and Britain went from Afth to fourth place. Germany fell from fourth to eighth place, shipping goods to the value of some 9,000,000 guilders.

British Forced Down Over Portugal

the crews were saved.

Dutch Conscription In Britain Valid

Dutch conscription of Dutch subjects in Britain was held to necessary steps for putting into effect be valid by a King's Bench Divisional Court, which recently the law for native conscription re- refused an application by Mr. Jean Jacques Amand (34), bulb cently passed by the N.E.I. Weapons merchant, of Wraysbury, Buckinghamshire, for a writ of habens Convention have been carried out so corpus. Mr Amand is a Dutch subject who has lived in Britain for thirteen years.

His case was that, answering a broadcast request that Dutchmen should report to their Consul in London, he was ordered to join the Dutch forces in Britain. He reported to the Dutch military authorities and served for a time, but, deciding Experienced personnel returning over adopted preliminary measures that he could not be compelled to serve, refused to return from leave and was arrested as an absentee.

> Arguments in the application on N.E.I. ships or ships belonging lasted three days and many points of English and Dutch Greatest law were debated. One was whether the Queen of the United States took first place in ex- Netherlands, by decree in Briports to the Netherlands East Indies tain, could conscript Dutchmen

Mr Amand had been on ball pending the decision.

The Lord Chief Justice (Lord Caldecotte) said the Netherlands Government and the authority of stomach in a desert squadron of Queen Wilhelmina were recognised the R.A.F. could remember, it in Britain. He had no reason to had had nothing in the way of statements when he said that at no food that had not come out of doubt the reliability of Mr Amand's time had he expressed willingness to tins. But, close at hand, the join the Netherlands forces, and it blue Mediterranean lapped the seemed that he was not a member sands of the North African was announced to-day.

The Board will co-ordinate their British twin-engined planes came ment. That, however, did not disdown in Portugal to-day. One made pose of the case. It had been con- insight, one or two of the more the Netherlands Government re- solve the problem of gastronomic cognised in Britain and would lead monotony. to the conclusion that the Dutch Fish! Lashings of fish, on

was nothing in the constitution to make the law not applicable to a Dutch subject outside his country, and he thought the decree conscripting Mr Amand was valid and that he could properly be detained for service in the Dutch Army.

They got the lines, made hooks,

Bible In Style Of Newspaper Could properly be detained for service in the Dutch Army. They got the lines, made hooks, opened tins for bait and fished assiduously, with watering teeth, for hours on end. The fish snifted at the bait, sneered and swam off. It was therefore somewhat tough on the fish that an R.A.F.V.R. officer, a one-time Kenya gold miner, was working nearby, blasting trenches out of the rock with high explosives.

Pictures Of Aeroplanes LONDON (UP).-The Bible is to be presented as news. All the art of modern newspaper presentation

by the Oxford University Press, July 17. and warfare to bring the familiar arms.

gees, all these are used as a commentary on the sacred text for the modern world.

London buildings, peaceful streets

last war, started oh his work of which the inventor is serving. edlting "The Bible for To-day" three

years ago. In a straightforward way, the Bible is presented as news-revelation, news of God's interest in and work, for the common people.

Week-end Lawn Bowls Teams

The following will represent the Hongkong Football Club in Second and Third Divisional Lawn Bowls

matches on Saturday:

2nd Div. v. Taikoo (away).—A. D. Coloman, J. D. Thomson, J. A. R. Selby and
W. Gill: A. Watson, J. H. Gelling, C. F.
Needham, and W. Macfarlane; R. P. Shaw,
C. B. Robertson, A. Brooksbank and K. S. Penrse, C. G. Sollis, B. I. Bickford and B. A. Mansell; A. Gratton, C. Cari, K. Forrow and G. S. Graver; A. Balloy, J. Russell, S. Strange and J. Raiston.

Electric R.O. Rinks representing the 'Hongkong Electric R.C. v. Recreio (away) will

J. R. Way, W. Sionehouse, W. Siokar and J. F. Lunny; R. A. Owens, R. F. Gregory, W. E. Macfarland and A. G. Gardner; O. W. K. Crawford, F. I.

Fisherman

As far back as the oldest

Government could take no steps to the doorstep so to speak. Grilled legislate to recover their violated soles for breakfast. Lobsters The Lord Chief Justice added that for lunch. Herring, cod, turbot, he accepted the submission that there prawns—maybe even a caviar-

out of the rock with high explosives. "Fish ". he said, "I'll get you some

Next day he was seen walking down to the beach with a number "The Bible for To-day," published porce of start with a number posse of stout swimmers at his heels. The bottles contained H.E. and fuzes. Headlines and subtitles as might Shortly afterwards there was a dull be seen in a newspaper are used, with illustrations of modern life with schools of stunned fish in their

Pictures of tanks and planes, the scattered ruins of bombed and blasted cities, the never-ending enviling masses of homeless refugees all those are used and reference was fresh fish for everybody that night. The toast in the Mess was: "To the greatest fisherman the R.A.F. has ever known."

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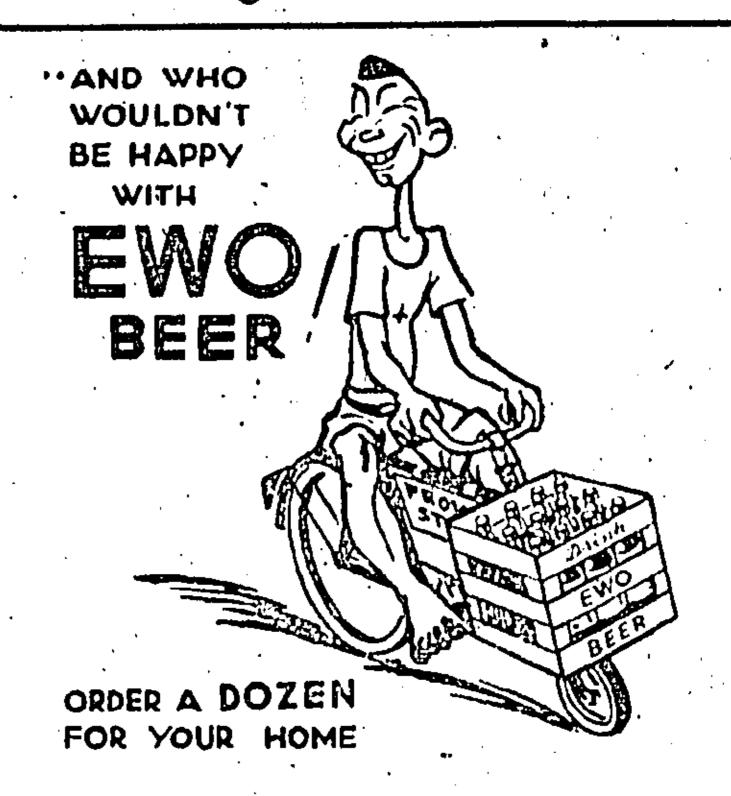
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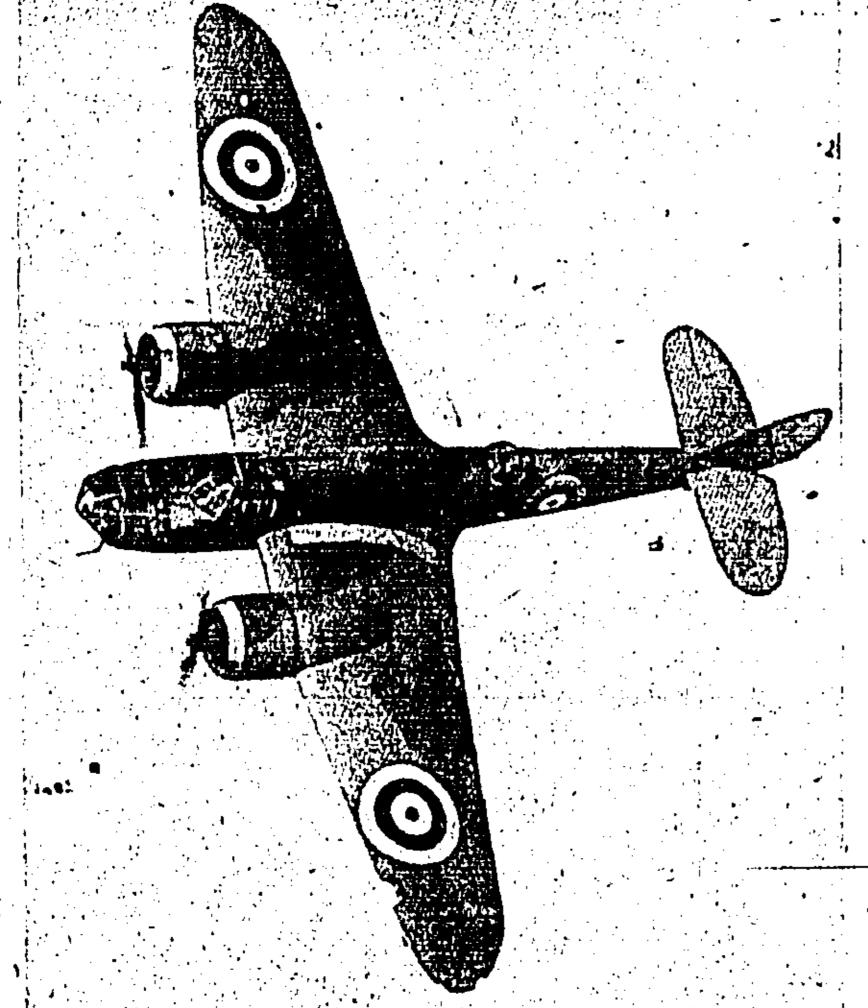
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"WICK'S" BOWLS NOTES

Craigengower

Home Ground Nearly Beaten On

On Two Heads To Avert Indians' Threat

THE GOOD FIGHT put up by the Indians in the First Division against Craigengower C.C. at Happy Valley; the even game between Kow-loon Tong and Kowloon F.C., the two leading teams in the Second Division; and the victory of Police R.C. over Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the Third Division were the highlights of last week's League programme.

Thursday.

THREAT TO COLONY SPRINT TITLE

Tsui Hang Equals Record

Colony · record.

This was the only outstanding time of the evening, and on the whole, Eastern beat Ching Wing by 15 points

Results were;
Members 100 yards free-style,—Tam Sikman, Wong Ka-po, Mak Wal-hung, Time Wing. Time 1 min. 8.4 sees.

Women's 50 yards free-style—Ng Pohing (Eastern), Shum Put (Eastern), Chan
hing (Eastern), Shum Put (Eastern), Chan
Chov-ha (Ching Wing), Time 35.8 sees.
Clov-ha (Ching Wing), Wong Lok-lin
cheung (Ching Wing), Wong

100 yards back-stroke,-Yeung Ylu-kwan (Ching Wing), Wong Shau-shan (Eastern), Kwok Chun-hang (Eastern). Time 1 mln.

220 yards free-style—Tal Yuk-mong (Eastern), Yu Sik-kwan (Ching Wing), Fung Wai-cheong (Ching Wing), Time 2 mins 52 secs. Nembers 50 yards back-stroke,-Mak Wai-hung. Time 40 secs.

V.R.C. Heats

HEATS for the V.R.C. Members' Gala on Wednesday next were held

U.S. Amateur

Reaches Match

Play Stages

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 27 (Reu-

ter).—Play became much more

difficult in the American Amateur

Golf Championship to-day owing

to a high wind and, though Stewart

Alexander increased his first-round

score by 10 strokes for an aggregate

of 144, he led the field of 64 match

play qualifiers by a stroke from

Johnny Goodman, title-holder, was

pionship will now be continued by

with 154, easily qualifying. -

John Burke.

match play.

Golf

Boston 6 13
Battery.—Salvo, Berres.

Further water-pole matches in the European Y.M.C.A. Invitation Tournament were played at the "Y" pool 'last

Y.M.C.A. - bent Middlesex "A" 4-2. Goal scorers-for Y.M.C.A. A. F. May (2), R. Goldman and N. D. Booker (penalty); Middlesex, Dinden (2). Signala beat Middlesex "B" (Allen 2, Dignan 2). Royal Navy "B" beat 965th Battery R.A. 4-0. (Rultor 2, Lt Thompson

Avoiding Relegation

The Kowloon Football Club actually won on two rinks but tied on aggregate and had to be satisfied with taking three points to Kowloon Tong's two. And the Police, who are challenging K.B.G.C. for supremacy in the Third Division, managed to win on aggregate as the result of J. C. Aitken's 16-shot victory over Hughie Nish.

TSUI HANG, who attained pro- First Division, neither Civil Ser- when minence at the Combined Gala h First Division, neitner Civil Ser- When the skips went down to roll few weeks back by heating David Vice C.C. nor Kowloon B.G.C. the Indians were lying four—thanks Hutchinson in the 100 yards. ci- "B" managed to take a single to a brilliant drive by A. H. Rumtablished himself as a threat to the point. The Civil Servants, on John, who took out A. E. Contes' Colony sprint title last night at a their own green, were overfriendly gala between Eastern and their own green, were overtheir own green, were overfront of the jack, without moving whelmed by Recreio "A" and whelmed by Recreio "A" and the kitty.

Kowloon B.G.C. "B" were washln 24.8 sees and equalling the ed out by Kowloon C.C. at Cox's

> These two teams are in the danger zone, with Recrelo "B" not far off. It is very likely that one then lying one, scoring a five if Minu of these three sides will be rele- could trail the jack two feet. gated to the Second Division next

Than King-kong. Time 24.0 sees. We had to be content with a tie on his women's 100 yards breast-stroke.—Ng the Civil Servants a point. They had to be content with a tie on his Women's 100 yards organic Wal-yung had won their previous seven matrink.

Shiu-lin (Eastern). Shum Wal-yung had won their previous seven matrink.

(Eastern), Chan Mel-cheung (Ching ches, but came a cropper against This was the stiffest opposition ches, but came a cropper against This was the stiffest opposition of the ches, but came a cropper against the stiffest opposition of the ches, but came a cropper against the stiffest opposition of the ches, but came a cropper against the stiffest opposition of the ches, but came a cropper against the ches, but came a

> Trink for the first time the week before against the Indians, had charge of the same rink against the Civil Servants and proved his worth by Green, went a long way to-

playing very well of late, piloted loon B.G.C. "B" on all rinks. Recrelo's third rink, which beat Except for the game between W. R. Hillyer's rink by nine shots. Teddy Fincher and Len Sykes, the leave recently, showed good form, Tommy Madar beating H. L. Lockbut found himself against very stiff hart by 22-11 and N. J. Bebbington opposition.

as follows:

Boy's 100 yards free-style: 1st Heat: 1. Craigengower C.C., who up to Fincher got his nose in front by two Gomes: 2. J. Anderson: 3. J. Roza. Gomes: 2. J. Anderson: 3. J. Roza. last Saturday had not dropped shots. Members' 50 yards free-style (handleap): a single point on their own Members' 50 yards free-style (nandicap): a single point on their own ist heat: 1. L. Vicira; 2. F. Vicira: 3. R. green, might well have been Sequeira. Heat 2: 1. N. Broadbridge; 2. Beaten when they entertained Ladles' 50 yards free-style "B" class: beaten when they entertained the Indians.

1: 1. M. Noronha; 2. Y. Yolle, Heat the Indians.

2: 1. T. Yvanovich, 2. C. Yolle; 3. V. Rull. As It was, they only got through

Ribeiro; 2, J. Rozn-Pereiru; -3, J. Gomes. by three shots on aggregate and had to share the points on the rink re-

a shock when, at tea time, they Field by six shots and Spary was found themselves nine shots in beaten by P. Younghusband by the

A. K. Minu, who started off by losing a four and three to B. W. Bradbury in the first two heads, led their rivals and seem to be in a very 17-10 at the interval; M. R. Abbas, good position indeed for the chamwho began badly by conceding three two's to C. S. Rosselet, was ahead by five thets; and A. R. Dallah was IN the Third Division, the two three down to Omar.

Indians went further ahead. Schashed at Austin Road, Dallah had crept up to within one though the former were up on two rhot of Omar, but then he lost a rinks they could not take the major

equal tenth with 152, but the scoring 11 mote to the good. The Indians margin of 16 shots—which easily does not really matter as the cham- will had a chance of pulling off the grovered the two shots lost by A. E. to show he is a gotter, commanding to last end wer played.

respect by finishing high with an aggre- This was an exciting head as it The Indians scored a clean sweep gate of 150. Charles Yates, now an the Little Latt of the day—Abbas of ainst Hongkong Electric, but they army private, who won the British was the factoried to declare the day.

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Of the bottom teams in the then required four to tie and five

front woods for second. Minu then drew second shot, only to see Bradbury push it through, There was a chance of the Indians,

On the other hand, he could have tried to draw second shot-which would have given his rink victory by, For the first time in many weeks, one shot-but he quite-rightly went 70.2 sees.

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beating J. F. McGowan's four by wards getting out of the danger Jackie Noronha, who has been of relegation by defeating Kow-

The latter, who returned from K.C.C. rinks won fairly comfortably, beating J. C. Gill (skipping for the first time) by nine.

Fincher and Sykes had a good at the V.R.C. last night and resulted PUT for U. M. Omar's 14-shot match, both skips being given good

TN the Second Division, J. L. I Stephens' rink of N. A. E. Mackay, T. K. Lim and J. N. Wong nearly gave Kowloon Tong victory over Kowloon F.C. despite the fact that the other two Kowloon Tong

-rinks-were-down,-Stephens and his men struck their best form to beat E. Kern's rink by The home players must have had 12 shots, but A. J. Kew lost to W. V.

The Footballers thus took three points against Kowloon Tong's two. They are now six points ahead of

nionship. I teams most interested in Shortly after the resumption, the shield-Kowloon B.G.C. and Police

which rather knocked the wind brilliance of J. C. Aitken and his out of the Indians.

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17. Nolan, who defeated J. A. Fraser,

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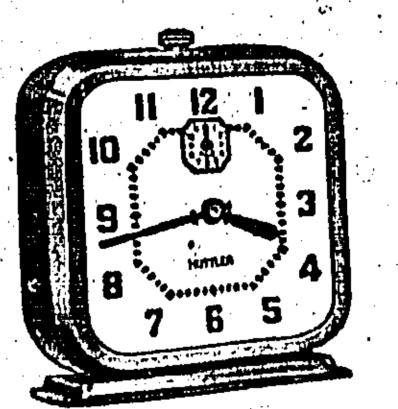
paine and winning by four points to Carey and the four by J. MacDonald. But Bre dury's rink did well At the moment, Kowloon B.G.C. Marvin Ward and Johnny Goodman, on two bat three or four heads to he nine and a half points ahead of each 148, followed Burke. Elisworth ware of Minute lead and were the Police, who, however, have three Vines, famous tennis player, continued actually leading by one shot when matches in hand. The position, I therefore, is still very open.

army private, who won the British weamwhile had finished 11 shots up have left their spurt till too late as a Championship a few years ago, finished weamwhile had finished 11 shots up have left their spurt till too late as against Resselet-and the Indians they have already lost four matches.

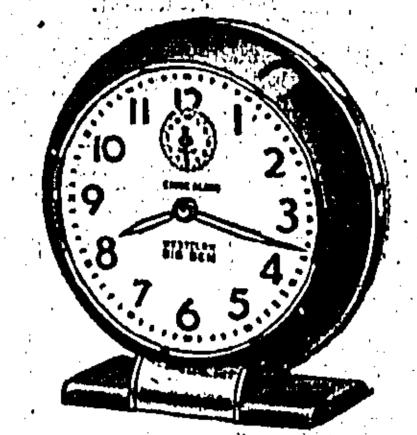
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Nip Lum, sliding home, just manages to make the plate. Tony Mascavage has the ball .-- Ming Yuen. Louis Will Join If Nova Beats Him

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 (UP).—Promoter Mike Jacobs to- Wing. Time 1 min. 8.4 sees. day revealed that Joc Louis will join the United States Army if he loses his world's heavyweight title to Lou Nova in their return bout on September 19.

He said that the "Brown Bomber" would engage in recruiting work or net as boxing instructor if he joins Major Baseball

The negro fighter, Jacobs added, would take a chance on obtaining a furlough which would permit him to attempt to regain the title next June. This return match was specifled in the contract Nova signed.

LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT CROWN WON BY GUS LESNEVICH

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP). -Gus Lesnevich secured a close decision over Tami Mauriello last night, winning the world's light_heavyweight_title.

The decision was not unanimous, the two judges voted for Lesnevich Chicago and the referee, Eddle Joseph, for Mauriello. Mike Jacobs, promoter, announced

that a return match would be held. Soccer Lecture To-day

The fourth lecture of the series on Soccer Laws, dealing with Law No. 11, the Offside, will be delivered by Staff Sergeant W. H. Foster, Army Representative of the Hongkong Foot-ball Referees' Association, to-day at 7

p.m. at Scandal Point Hall. As this is a very complicated lawrequiring plenty of explanations in order to be understood, it is hoped that all candidates will make it a point to be present.

Pirates Overwhelm Phillies 12-2 NEW YORK, Aug., 27 (UP) .-

Pittsburgh Pirales overwhelmed Philadelphia Phillies 12-2 to-day in one of the two day games played in the National League. The Ginnts-Cardinals and Reds-Dodgers games are nighters.

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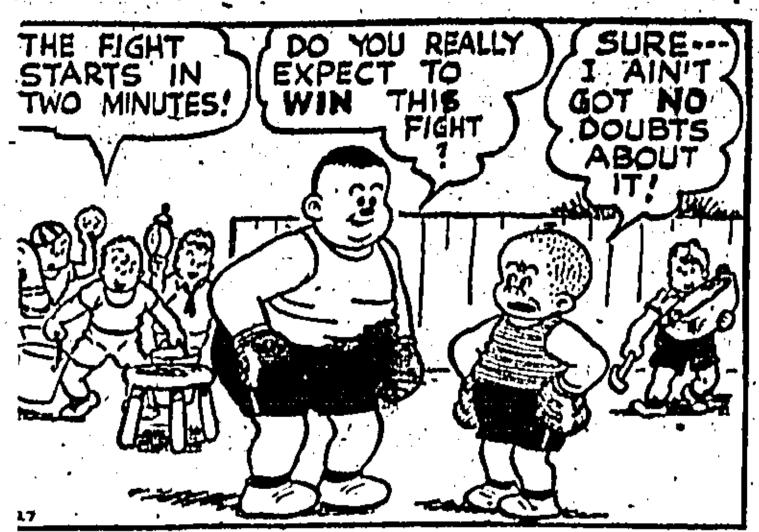
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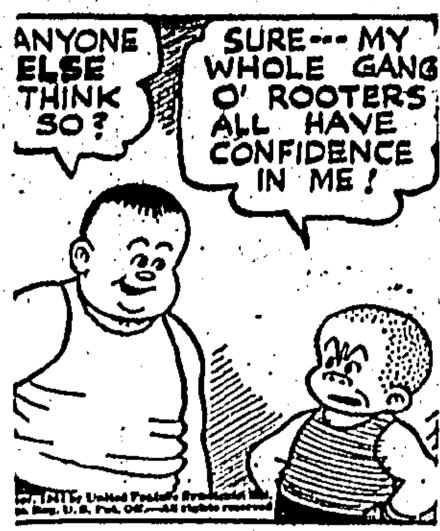
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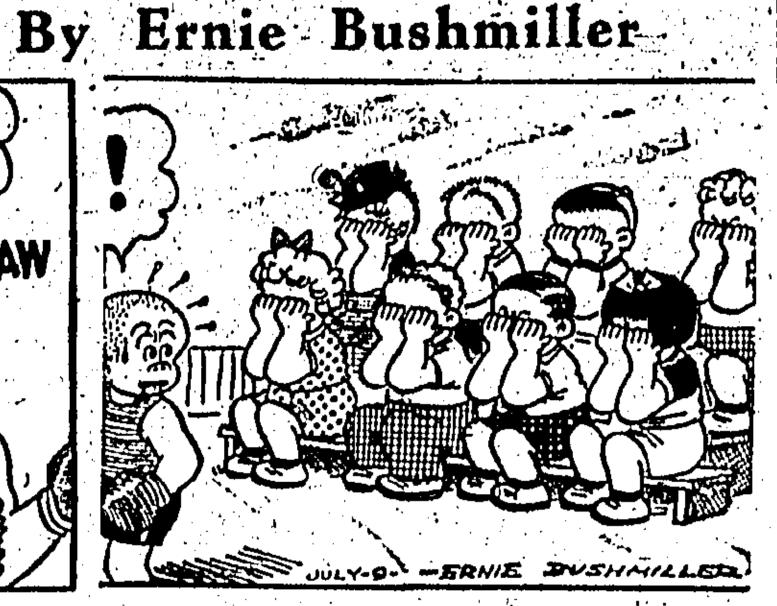
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Scholarship Half Blindness

CHICAGO (UP).—When Wells Mori was born 28 years ago, the son of an immigrant Japanese father and a Norwegian-Welsh mother, nature spotted him an immediate handicap-partial blindness.

But he has fought his disadvantage for 28 years and recently was graduated fourth among 360 members of the 1941 class of Illinois.
Institute of Technology, earning only four "B" grades in an otherwise straight "A" record.

Unable to read more than 20 minutes at a stretch, he had to develop his memory to counterbal-unce his impaired sight. Thus Mori managed by his own system.

"I figured out the whole thing a long time ago," he said. "You either. Broadcast by ZBW on a Frequency have to read a lot and remember a of 845 k.c.'s and on Short Wave from little, or you have to read a little 1-2.15 and 8.30-11.15 p.m. on 9.52 and remember a lot. I try to man- m.c.'s per second. age the latter."

Mother Helped Him

The groundwork of a brilliant memory was laid by his mother who taught him to spell by rote learn- Variety. ing. In fourth grade he could not see well enough to write legibly, but gramme Summary. later he overcame this factor by 1.02 Magyari Imre and His Hunlearning to operate a typewriter.

Morl was 18 before he was grad- Cockchafer, Yellow Cockchafer; uated from a Minnesota rural gram- Bihari's Lament (Bihari); Pale Yelmar school and was 22 before he low Rose; I Love You Beautiful Lady completed high school at Inckson- (Jeno Sandor); O Sole Mio (Di ville, Ill. But he wanted in college Capua); La Paloma (Yradier). education regardless of the length of 1.18 Songs by Tino Rossi (Tenor). time it required for him to get it. 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and time it required for him to get it.

After entering college, the home- Announcements. work problem was solved by a group of 10 married women who wanted to see Wells graduate. He Joyce (Plano Solo); Symphonic Poem would meet one of them each day in Chicago's Loop and she would in The BBC Symphony Orchestra;

n noiseless typewriter and also wrote Opera House Orchestra, Stockholm. his examination papers on it. As a precaution against total blindness, he has learned Braille, although doctors told him that he will not lose his tions. sight completely if he doesn't overtax his eyes.

Married Sweetheart

Lucille Nelles, his high school sweet- The Philadelphia Orchestra. heart, who had graduated from 8.0 London Relay-The News. Southern Illinois State Teachers 8.15 London Relay-War Commen-College. Wells also wants, to teach tary. and has done practice teaching in 8.25 Chicago high schools as part of his Post. course, receiving high praise as an Instructor

"I would like to work for a year or two now," he said, "though no job is in the offing at the moment, and save enough money to Budy for a Master's degree at the University of Chicago. I am interested in the field of economic theory. would like to teach it some day. "I think I have learned to hoard

the resources of my eyesight. My friends will continue to read to me, I hope. Perhaps I will really get what I am aiming for, after all."

death is announced of Mr Henry and News Commentary. Ashford at the Country Hospital on 10.15 Dance Music. August 16, after a very serious ill- 11.0 London-"War Corresponness lasting about three weeks, dents." states the North China Daily News. | 11.15 Close Down.

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0.0 Indian Programme. 0.45 Closing Local Stock Quota-

6.47 Essle Ackland (Contralto) and The BBC Symphony Orchestra. 7.20 Rachmaninoff-Concerto No. 3 In D Minor, Op. 30.

London Relay-'Listening

Examination of Points In Daily

German Propaganda. 8.30 Programme Summary. 8.32 The London Plane-Accordeon Band and Les Allen (Vocal).

9.0 Local Time Signal and An-9.02 Studio-'To-night We Present.'

A Review of New Records. 9.45-10.0 News in French (On Short Wave Only). 9.45 Concert Waltzes.

Flattergeister (Fickle Fancy); Delirien (Jos. Strauss, arr. Hohne).... Orchestra Mascotte: Blossom DreamsOrchestra Mascotte; Hydropathen Waltz (Jos. Gungl) Vienna Boheme Orchestra. It is with the deepest regret the 10.0 London Relay-The News

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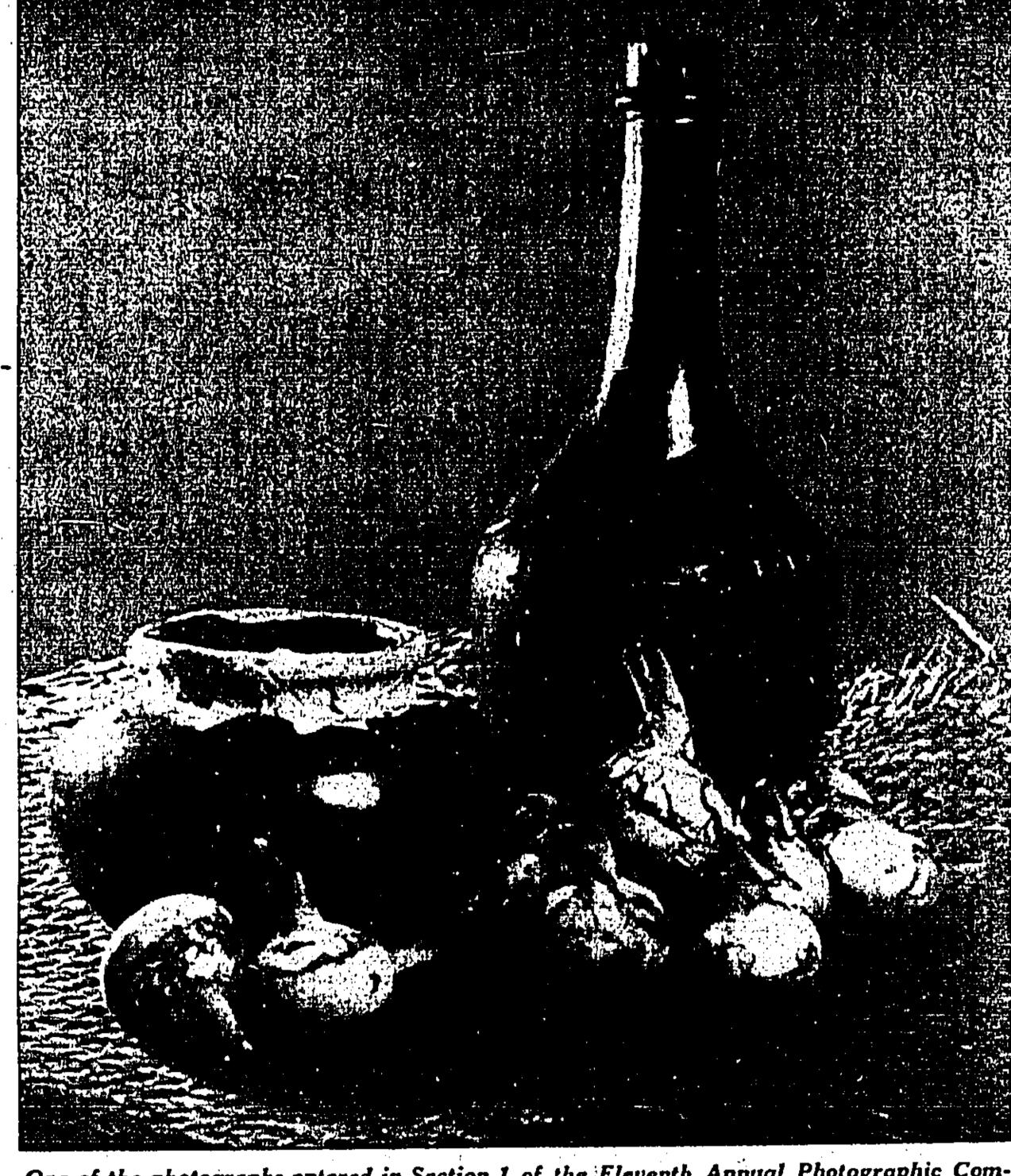
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Chain of Aerodromes Ready in Burma

In the event of active war spreading to British territory in southeastern Asia, a chain of aerodromes which thousands of men and women have been constructing in Burma during the past few months would allow fighter and bomber squadrons stationed in Malaya to be moved to Burma in a few hours.

With these new bases, the last of northern Shan States, because any which has now been completed, attack by land would probably come squadrons could be moved to Burma from either the south or the east. overnight from Malaya or India and For some time now, the defence would find all preparations made for authorities have been giving a great

mander-in-Chief, Far East, Air an invading force under any cir-Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke- cumstances because of its mountain-Popham, would have his forces ous nature—is made practically imwhere they could serve to the best passable.

advantage, states an official release. The modernisation of the Army in

been strengthened by the arrival of billty of forces. American-built Brewster Buffalo New units of the Burma Rifles geniously named Scottie by her mismulti-gun fighters, which makes the (who for several years were station- tress, Mrs Julian Busby of Kanna-

chain of acrodromes midway between the coast and the frontiers of China and Thailand. It stretches siderably augmented by large num- on the scene at about 10 a.m. to

fully loaded. Plant for the main-tenance and repair of aircraft has provided, while pilots and quarters. Fuel, bombs and ammuni- to care with parachute and it rained her out of the carrier.

possible needs. These aerodromes have been so located that they will provide the maximum protection for Burma ngainst air and land attack from any quarter and at the same time give the R.A.F. advance bases from which to hit back with bomber

They also give greater mobility to the Air Force based in the Far East. Buffalo fighters have been arriving across the Pacific from the a glass of water over-night, and in trol-tower radio, joined the pursuit. United States in increasing numbers the morning they were frozen in a But the launch had to give up early, during the past few months and thus solid block of fce, enable fighter squadrons to be speedily formed.

point, of view are the southern and explanation.

deal of thought to ensuring that At these aerodromes the Com- Burma-which would be difficult for

The R.A.F. in Burma has now Burma has greatly increased the mo-

country equipped for both offensive ed in Taiping, Perak), the Burma polis, N. C., raised hob at LaGuardia and defensive air action.

Frontier Force, a body of men trained Field recently when she escaped from All-Weather Runways

Men and women from the mountains of the Shan States have been constructing but of the jungle n constructing out of the jungle n war, and this expansion of the local attendants one hour to do it in a forces is still going on.

tion have been stored to meet all troops with parachute and alr-borne

Sorry, Sir, My Teeth Froze Up!

in a New Zealand country camp Busby. "Be a nice dog." turned out late for morning parade Instead, Scottle dived into Flush--and without his teeth. He had placed his false teeth in ways launch, directed by the con-

tures from their ley bed. The most vital from a defence The sergeant-major accepted his Mrs Busby was so unnerved she had to give up her trip.

"Scottie" Upsets Airport

A five-year-old Scotch terrier, inmad, radio-directed pursuit.

The local forces have been con- Mrs Busby and Scottle appeared All the aerodromes are equipped bers of Indian and British battalions, to Charlotte, N. C. Scottie was in the for the take-off of heavy bombers of the country where this type of off for a cup of coffee, little Scottie fully loaded. Plant for the main-The defence of certain aerodromes baggage room. The dog whined so is one of their most important duties pitifully that a tender attendant let

As Scottle bolted across the field the airport's two-way radio went into action. A radio patrolinan took up the chase in his car, but the dog outraced and outmaneuvered him. Then along came Mrs Busby in a plane-hauling tractor. The tractor followed Scottic to a 150-yard stretch of mudflats.

Because of a severe frost, a soldier | "Come back, Scottle," sald Mrs ing Bay. Here a Pan American Air-for Scottle, was in shallow water. The bugle sounded while he was Finally, however, two boys came still vainly trying to prise his den- along in a rowboat and picked up



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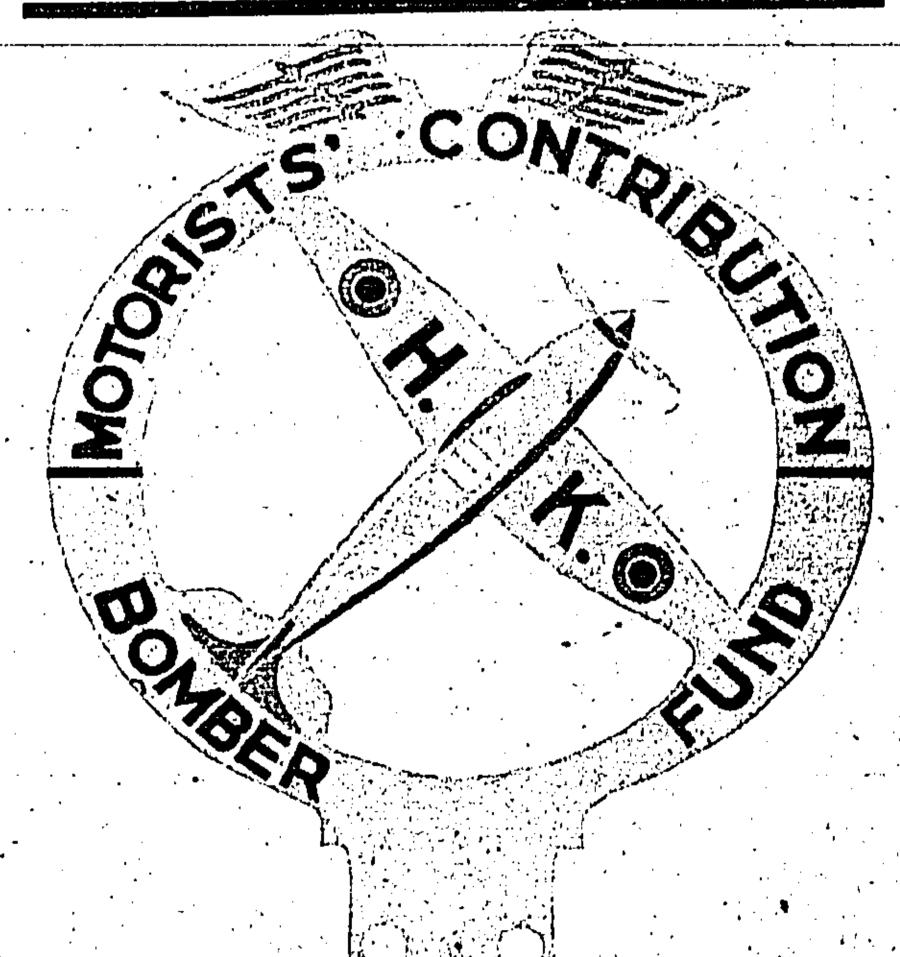
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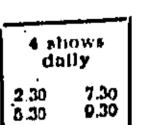
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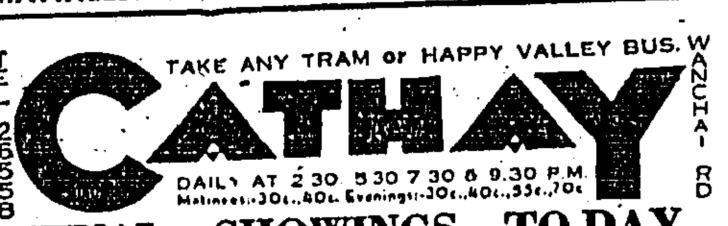
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Laval Shot, Wounded By Communist

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former member of the Cabinet, ar rived-from Vichy at 9.30 p.m. and went directly to the hospital. Incident Described

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter),-Pierre Laval and Marcel Deat were shot at and wounded-though not seriously-at Versalles this afternoon, says the Vichy news agency. The assailant was a young man,

Paul Colette, aged 20. Count Fernand de Brinon, French Ambassador in the Occupied Zone, afterwards made the following statement to the press, according to the Paris Radio:

"This afternoon Laval and Deat have been the victims of an attack under the following circumstances: Inspection of Barracks

"At Versailles the first French volunteers of the anti-Bolshevist Legion were to enter their barracks. At the beginning of the ceremony, the French colours were holsted and La Marsellaise was sung for the first time in occupied territory. Thereafter official visitors inspected the barracks. Versailles

population in a procession, in which was present, passed under the porch of the barracks. According to preliminary investigations, Laval and Deat must have been immediately behind the. I heard faint reports to which I paid no particular atten-"tion. A few moments later, I observed Laval, supported by some people. He said They have hit me. "He was immediately removed to the Versailles Hospital.

"Deat was also wounded. Deliberate Attack

"The 'alleged attacker lias been arrested. He is a young man who has admitted that he joined the Legion for the purpose of committing the attack.

"Laval was shot in the arm and in his side. The bullet has been extracted.

"Deat was also shot in the arm. "The conditions of the victims are not considered to be serious."

Strong Russian Counter-Attacks

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ing German claims fortunately these have so often proved to be exagger- tinued to provide protection for our if it was suddenly called upon to ated that they are always treated timued to provide protection for our expand again. "Sites are being forward troops." One Hawker-type expand again. "Sites are being with extreme reserve,--Leningrad Area

There is no further news of fighting in the Leningrad area nor, more significant still, is there any more information available on the subject of the Russian counter-offensive at Gomel. Considerable importance is attached to this Soviet attack as it is felt it may have a decisive influence in the Surrian salient Kiev. Here again one is very near to the point of junction between the left flank of Timoshenko and the right of Marshal Budenny.

Having failed in their blitz tactics having yielded appreciable results, troying at least one Iranian aircraft. the Germans are apparently trying to separate the three Russian commands so as to deal piecemeal with the one offering the best chance of success. If they are able to retain the initiative these tactics are cer-tainly full of menace but it is possible that the Russian commanders have some cards up their sleeves.

Supplies Must Go To Russia

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finally, adding "this as well as other, problems will be settled." Questioned whether Japanese security would be threatened by the shipments to Vladivostok, he replied, "I leave that to your judgment." No Formal Protest

representations. Official quarters indicate that if there have been any discussions of this nature, they arose only from informal Japanese in-

cluding one general and over 500 peedometer. officers, have arrived here.



FREE FRENCHMAN-Important Free French leader in Near East is General Georges Catroux, under sentence of death by Vichy government. Here he inspects guard at Government House, Damascus, after city was taken by French and British.

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participating in the Pacific north-

last war declared Mr Henry L.

military training which the troops in

General Marshall declared that the

ments. If the need arises, we will

Press conference to-day.

the far west are receiving.

MIDDLE EAST COMMUNIQUE

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—A TACOMA, Washington, Aug. 27 British Middle East communique (Reuter).—United States Army units issued from G.H.Q. to-day states: Libya.—In the frontier area, as the west manoeuvres are "far ahead" of result of activity of our patrols, the any divisions sent to France in the enemy opened up artillery fire. In the Tobruk area, there is no Stimson, Secretary for War, at a

Italian East Africa.—In the Wor- Mr Stimson was an artillery skefit area, a, small detachment, co- colonel in France during the last operating with Ethiopian patrols, war. Both he and General George successfully attacked an enemy fort, Marshall the United States Chief of capturing seven Italians and several Staff, expressed approval of the machine-guns.

R.A.F. In Action

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-In Iran yesterday R.A.F. fighters con- army could not be caught unprepared alreralt was shot, down while taking selected and preliminary surveys. off at Ahwaz and another was attack- are being made for 20 more cantoned on the ground. Our bombers again dropped pam- be in a position to start building imphlets on Ispahan, Giraz, and Kasbin, mediately."

Another force successfully bombed l gun positions and troops concentrations holding Pytak Pass. Further reports show that during the operations by our fighters on August 25, four Iranian aircraft, not three as stated in yesterday's com-

munique, were destroyed.
In bombing attacks on Ahwaz aerodrome, direct hits were obtained on a hangar, setting it on fire and des-

Germans & Italians Taken Prisoner

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which the Allies attach to Iran's Hope is expressed in London to-day, that the Shah might see his way to reach a peaceful solution.

It is learned that the British
Minister at Teheran saw the Shah again to-day.

Attorney Stumped By Judge

PASEDENA, Cal., (UP).-When attorney Clark Edwin Davis was WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).

—Official circles here have disclaimed knowledge of any formal Japanese Defending himself in police court. could not.

Police Judge Kenneth N. Newell, BOMBAY, Aug. 27 (Reuter).— conducting the offence, asked Davis Some 1,200. Italian prisoners, in- for a certificate of accuracy for his Davis paid a \$5 fine.

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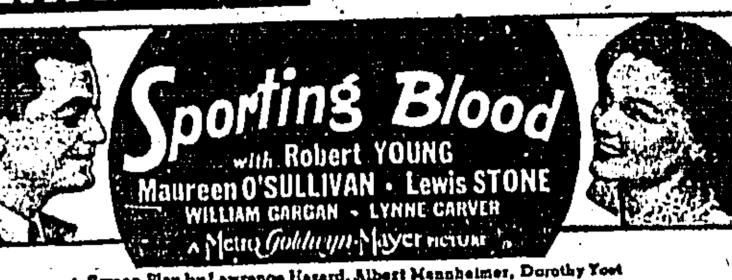
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The invasion of Iran by British

and Russian forces to forestall

Nazi action, is progressing

favourably. This map indicates

the points from where the Alliesare making their advance. The

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Iraq and in the south, while the Soviets have made two penetra-

tions from the north as indicat-

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ENEMY CONVOYS SMASHED

Stirring Actions By British Bombers

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). -l'ickings are becoming a bit rare these days for the boys of the Constal Bomber Command and when the eager eyes of these boys, therefore, observe a German convoy they allow no obstacle of danger to stand in their way.

On Tuesday about noon, a group of Blenheim bombers flying in patrol without the benefit General de Gaulle had offered to precious freight.

There were six flack ships which pondent. are vessels specially fitted as antiaircraft destroyers, bristling with guns. They were guarding the merchantmen while above circled a patrol of Messerschmitt 110's at about made by the General himself at

Against this formidable line, the Blenhelms roared in low to attack., From what is known of the The first pilot singled out a freighter General's views, however, it as a target and the crew believe thought that if America considered that they got a hit, though they could these ports would prove useful not verify this as the pilot had to the United States, the Free French make a snap turn to avoid hitting would gladly place them at America's the ship's mast.

Freighter Hit

Another Blenheim attacked freighter, dropping bombs amidships causing a great flash, and flames and smoke leaped into the nir. Other crews busily occupied them-

gunning the ships and escorts. enemy aircraft escort peeled off and Winston Churchill which took place came down to engage the Blenheims somewhere in the Atlantic, and led which were skilfully intent on to the formulation of what is now creating havor among the merchant- known as the Atlantic Charter, states men. But the British were ready | "Reuter's" Lobby Correspondent. for this contingency, and one flight Whole-hearted approval has been TURN to Back Page, Column 3 of Blenheims acting as a section in expressed by all Dominion Governflying formation adopted evasive ments to the British Government at

Special to the "Telegraph"

VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP).-M. Pierre Laval, former Premier of France, and a pro-German, was attacked to-day by a Communist during a coremony for the mobilisation of anti-Communist volunteers at Borgnis des Bordes barracks, Versailles, shot in the arm and liver and seriously wounded. M. Marcel Deat, editor of the Germancontrolled Paris daily "L'Ocuvre" was also wound-

Laval, with other prominent Frenchmen arrived at Versailles at 5 p.m. to attend the formal raising of the French colours over the barracks.

During the ceremony, two terrorists approached and shot at Laval from a few yards. One assailant, identified as Paul Colette, a communist, was taken to prison after being nearly lynched by bystanders.

The official party removed the wounded Laval to hospital. This marked the first terrorist attack since the Shaumburg manifesto was issued threatening to shoot hostages for attacks on Germans. Laval has received numerous threatening letters since the start of the Russian war:

Bases For

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). of escort, sighted a large enemy put the Free French ports in convoy off the German Frisian Africa at the disposal of the Islands. It was observed that United States as naval bases, the convoy was extremely well | presumably to counteract the protected. The Germans were German influence at Dakar, was taking no chances with this read with attention, states anti-Petain political organisation "Reuter's" Diplomatic Corres-

Dominions Approve Atlantic Charter

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—All the organs. selves with bombing and machine- Dominion Governments were kept informed of the progress of the talks though he belonged to a Communis Meanwhile, as was expected, the between President Roosevelt and Mr youth organization, enlisted in the

TURN to Back Page, Column 3 the terms and aims of the charter.

Successful Operation

M. Laval telephoned to his wife from the hospital at 8.45 p.m. and in a clear voice said that the bullets had been successfully removed from his arm and also his liver, adding, "I will recover." The bullet wound in M. Deat's arm is not serious.

The third victim was Major Durvy whose ecudition is not serious. The shooting occurred during the flag-raising ceremony in the barracks

Who's Who

M. Deat is regarded as one of the most outspoken pro-German, anti-Petain figures in Paris. Major Durvy is a member of the National Popular Rassemblement Party in Paris-an sponsored by Germans. Deat is also a member of this group.

The shooting threatened to in-The Free French Headquarters in augurate a wave of German London stated that they had no inasmuch as the new Nazl orders OUR AIR

The French Government was informed by telephone at 8.30 p.m. the attacks. The Minister of Justice, M. Barthelmey arrived in Vichy at the same time from Paris where he had instituted anti-terrorist, anti-Communist special courts,

Condition Not Grave

At 10 p.m. the Versalles hospital said that Laval's condition was not grave. The bullet entered the right side above the liver and tore through the abdomen without tearing the intestine and went out the left side without seriously injuring any

The assallant, Paul Collette, nnti-Communist Legion which explained his presence amongst the youths who were being mobilised. Laval's operation last 40 minutes

LATEST

CASPIAN NASCARA SEA ALADAGH HOMPORN HOHENDASHON (Gens)

Soviets Penetrate Deep Into Iran: German Plot Exposed Special to the "Telegraph"

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP) .- It was revealed by the Tass Agency to-day that, following the occupation by Soviet forces of the Iranian towns of Tabriz, Ardebil, Lisar and Dilman, the Russian advance continues and is developing in accordance with plans.

A dispatch from Islih states

Big German Plot

and esplonage in preparation for

anti-Iranian ring consisting

coup. This same organisation had

Russian White Guards and Armenian

Nationalists to whom they had

i promised the creation of a "Greater"

Armenia" at the expense of Russia

· Advance Will Continue :

the Germans are being expelled,

TURN to Back Page, Column 5

QUETTA, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .- The

headquarters at Quetta.

tance is reported.

OFFENSIVE

ARABIA

ENGLISH MILES

More Attacks On Northern France SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

FOLKESTONE, Aug.

27 and had been carrying on sabotage (UP).—The R.A.F. to-day began a procession across the Channel also built up an anti-Russian and raid alarm for eight nights. before breakfast with squadrons of bombers and fighters following each other with processionlike regularity. The planes appeared to be heading for and Turkey. northern France.

As squadron followed squadron, glinting in the brilliant authoritatively indicated that the sunshine, several groups of fighters returned. Many flew at very high altitudes for more than two hours.

Enemy Planes Destroyed

fighters were destroyed during oftensive operations over northern France early this morning. Eight British fighters are missing.

German Figures

ing to the official news agency, ten British fighters, were shot down this disclosure that conditions on either over the Belgian and French coasts... border are perfectly penceful was

Huntziger Appointed Western (Independent) district with Home can purchase. To Lead Troops

that the Red Army is marching LENINGRAD in three columns which have covered about 130 miles into the south, forming almost a straight. RAIDED line from the Caspian Sea to Dilman on the Iran-Turkish border. Once again, no resis-

ARABIAN SEA

Planes Downed BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" Moscow newspapers to-day report-MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP). ed that a vast German organisation Large scale and continuous air had already selzed control of Iranian industry, commerce and transport

raids are reported over approaches to Leningrad. cow has been without an air all possibilities." Attackers Repulsed

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP),that the Nazi air raid on Leningrad Foreign Minister, M. Sarajoglu. was repulsed and over 100 Nazi

planes were shot down. Telephonic advices from Leningrad Tass dispatch from Istanbul, citing LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP) .-- It is report that the Popular Guards are authoritative Bulgarian sources, redigging a new ring of trenches and ports that the Germans are preparadvance on Iran will continue until extending the elaborate defences ing an anti-Soviet move and are inward. They described that the planning to release several Turkish whole city bastlon has changed its ships from Bulgarian ports, torpedo In connection with reports that the appearance beyond recognition from them and blame Soviet submarines, Shah had made a pledge for peace land or air. worsening Soviet-Turkish relations,

VICHY, Aug. 27 (Reuter),-According to a Budapest message to the Vichy news agency to-night, Russian troops have launched counter-attacks "with all their available forces" on the lower Dnieper River battle-front. The Hungarians claim that so far all have been repulsed.

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Rumanian Army Discord

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—General Ciuperca, former Inspector—General of the Rumanian Army, has been shot for opposing the sending of the Rumanian Army to fight beyond the Dniester, according to rumours in Bucharest quoted by the Istanbul correspondent of the Independent French news agency. He adds that 12 Rumanian Generals have resigned for the same

On Road To Moscow

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuler). "Annalist" writes: With blare of trumpets and roll of drums the Germans to-day announce the capture of Velike Lugi, a junction on the direct rallway from Riga to Moscow. They claim a big bag of prisoners and 400 guns.

The area marks the junction of the armies of Voroshiloff and Timoshenko and it would be the natural place TURN to Back Page, Column 5

GERMAN PRESSURE ON TURKEY New Developments Anticipated SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP)....A dispatch to the "Daily Mail" from Beirut states that renewed German diplomatic pressure on Turkey, coupled with the spectacular military preparations in Bulgaria and the Aegean Islands. has resulted in the belief that Hitler is contemplating a move to counter the Anglo-Russian march on Iran.

The report said that Ambasendor von Papen is returning to Ankara to confer with M. Sara-More Than 100 Nazi joglu and cited that the Turkish Ambassador to Berlin has been summoned to Hitler's eastern front headquarters after v lightning visit to Ankara.

Noting the reports of German concentrations, it said, "The imthe portant British military conference Mos- just concluded at Jerusalem surveyed

Von Papen In Ankara

ANKARA, Aug. 27 (UP),-ThO German Ambassador, Colonel Franz Radio London announced an inter- von Papen arrived in Ankara this cepted Moscow Radio report saying morning and conferred with the Istanbul Story

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP).-A

Gen. Norton's H.K. Soon to be Able to Buy War Savings Certificates

It is hoped that very shortly Hongkong residents will be able to purchase war savings certificates in the Colony.

This was indicated officially this morning, when it was remorning while attempting to fly in side of Baluchistan on the Iranian vealed that the Secretary of State for the Colonies had approved of the idea of making available to the Hongkong public made to "Reuter" by Lieut-General savings certificates in a similar manner to which people at

There was no mention of General that the defences were strong and centres.

Weygand.

Schools will probably be encou

Legislation is now being | aged to assist the war effort by buy-He expressed satisfaction with the drafted to make this effective ing these certificates, as they are in arrangements for the protection of make the Bill will England. There a weekly contribu-NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP)—The India from any aggression and BBC. to-day stated that British endoysed General Br. Archibald be ready for presentation to the Radio at Vichy announced that Wavell's recent statement that India Legislative Council within a amount has been subscribed, he re-General Huntziger has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of all Vichy
troops in North Africa:
The former Commander, General
Harachi to the border of the NorthOdet has been recalled and named
military Commander at Toulouse Baluchistan General that the defences were strong and centres. strong and centres.

Schools will probably be encour- came available to the public.

H.K. People Were Aboard The Zamzam; Are Now Prisoners

News has just reached the Colony that among the passengers of the liner, Zamzam, which was shelled and sunk by a Nazi raider in the South Atlantic in April, were two former residents of Hongkong, Dr Robert Starling, formerly of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., and his wife.

Dr Starling, who was in Just as she reached the bottom of the charge of the Electric Company's the ladder, however, the boat pulled away and she fell in the water. Swept away by the waves, she was later hauled on to a raft by a party in December 1938 and proceeded of American ambulance drivers. to Chicago to take a course in Later they were taken, with other he was on his way to South raider, but as Dr Starling was seri-Africa to set up practice there when the Zamzam was attacked peared next day and which took the Dr Starling was wounded as he Zamzam's passengers to Bordenux.

Was leaving his cabin, Mrs Starling, Dr and Mrs Starling are underwho is also well known in Hongkong, stood to have been subsequently raced down a ladder to hold a boat landed in German-occupied territory for her husband, whom three men in Europe, and are believed to be Further Late News had curried to the side of the ship. in internment

chiropractic. It is believed that survivors, on board the German

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LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP).—It is nuthoritatively stated that ten enemy District Near Hostilities

BERLIN, Aug. 27 (UP).--Accord-

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best pictures in the Competition.
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pasted on back of entry. 4.—The right to publish any or all of the entries is reserved to the Hongkong Telegraph. 5.-All photographs entered must have been taken in the Colony

of Hongkong. Photographs which have been already entered in other Competitions are incligible. d.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery of, loss of, or damage to entries. 7.-All entries to be either black, sepla, or toned pictures, and must be mounted. Coloured photo-graphs are incligible.

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> THE TEXAS COMPANY (CHINA) LTD. . BY P. F. Lefevre, Managing Director. Hongkong, August 25th, 1941.

> > NOTICE

VACUATION REPRESENTATION COMMITTEE

A public meeting will be held on Thursday, August 28, at 6 p.m. in the Rose Room, Peninsula Hotel, for all husbands and relatives of evacuees and others who are interested.

(Sgd.) W. V. TAYLOR, Acting Hon. Secretary, Evacuation Representation Com-

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LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) -Recent reports from Norway indicate that despite the state of siego existing, acts of subotoge are steadily increasing, according to a Moscow report to-day. "The German authorities have

made recourse to mass arrests and concentration camps are full to overflowing," says the report. One of the most important nets of the saboteurs occurred at Trondheim a "violent explosion was heard. It was a hugo dump

German aerial bombs." Mady fires are raging in Norway, says the report, especially in districts where the German Command have important secret military establishments.

Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning. BANKS

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ADVENTURES OF SOLDIERS WITH ROYAL NAVY

LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wireless).-An adventurous voyage to England from Gibraltar by two Royal Canadian engineers, Lleutenant Ames and Sapper Ross, who left Gibraltar in a warship, has just been

After some days at sea their ship was ordered to join the chase for the Bismarck and Lleut Ames spent 36 hours on the bridge following the operation from start to finish. Then instead of going on to England; the warship started on a hunt for German supply ships, during which hunt the Canadian officer was in charge of two anti-aircraft guns.

a West African port where British a glass of water over-night, and in General Marshall declared that the Colonial officials welcomed the first Canadians they had seen there and Ross made friends with Free French

Eventually another destroyer came to the port and in this they sailed to another port where they joined a ship in a convoy. The convoy was attacked by German submarines but niter, a heated battle, warships drove them off without British losses." The ship eventually landed them back at Gibraltar from which they had started off five weeks before. Shortly after, the Canadians

boarded the ship which brought back the British Embassy staff from Yugo-Slaviol. Despite an attack by German alreraft, they oventually arrived sniely, in England, having travelled 19,000 instead of the usual 1,000

Bearing State of the Continue of the State of Anti-Nazism In France Hardening

Sabotage Continues

ZURICH, Aug. 27 (Reuter),-Tho situation in Occupied France has grown dramatically acute in the last fow weeks," says the Basic newspaper "National Zeitung." "Anti-German demonstrations are

called anti-Communist demonstrations by the occupying authorities and the French police. There have been acts of sabotage against trame and rallways, the murder of a German officer, the mass arrests of Bangkok thousands of alleged Communists, the Batavia establishment of special tribunals Calcutta by the French Government, German military commanders' threats to shoot hostages should fresh sabotage occur—the mere enumeration of these incidents provides speaking evidence of the state of tension that Delhi has been reached.

"It has become the central problem of French internal politics but It has its roots above all in external

Communist' Activity Commenting on increased Comnunist activity due to the outbreak of war with Russia, the article con-ZBW, 355 metres (845 k.c.) and 31.45 flaged megal organisation the may be ascertained at any of nuclous of which has not been reach. nuclous of which has not been reached by any police action." The writer

French police measures compared with the "refined individualised 1-2.15 and 8.30-11.15 p.m. on 9.52 methods" of the Germans. The paper comments that the mass nature of the arrests in Paris tempt one to believe that Paris is attempting to give the Germans proof of their energy rather than to follow any definite purpose. Referring to with the British Overseas Airways

ascribes this to the inemciency of

the appeal by General von Service will until further notice be Stucipnagel, Commander-in-Chief closed on Mondays and Fridays. of the army in France which put Correspondence for despatch by this 1.02 Magyari Imre and His Hun-Germanophobla on the same footing route must be superscribed by as Communism, the paper says; it is "C.N.A.C." Cockchafer, Yellow Cockchafer; an old trick to call any opposition Communistic. At present in Occupied France practically all supporters of | the antional resistance idea, those not yet reconciled to defeat and those 1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press and who oppose any form of the victor Power, are regarded as Communists.

Threat Against Hostages widest sense to the threat to shoot (exceptThe BBC Symphony Orchestra; hostages, the paper draws attention Kwangsi, tween the German and the French is suspended. nuthorities. The notice mentions "Not only prisoners in the hands of the German military authorities but Closing Local Stock Quotaalso those placed at the Germans' disposal by other official sources Essie Ackland (Contralto) This can only mean that prisoners in the hands of the French police are 7.20 Rachmaninoff-Concerto No. regarded by the Germans as hostages and will be shot if sabotage con-Sergei Rachmaninoff (Plano) and tinues. But the most that can be obtained by this means is fear and 8.15 London Relay-War Commenobedience but never love."

No Friendly Relations "The Germans have little hope left of creating really friendly relations between the two peoples. Readiness to collaborate with Germany. is 8.32 The London Piano-Accordeon restricted to a small upper class but is rejected by the people. Germany 9.0 Local Time Signal and An- is certainly strong enough to repress France, however muttering and 9.02 Studio-To-night We Present. hostile, just as it can deal with parailel phenomena in Norway, Holland and Serbia. But the hopes held in a few German circles that the French might be made ailies appear hardly capable of fulfilment at Flattergeister (Fickle Fancy); Della time when the shooting of hostages rien (Jos. Strauss, arr. Hohne).... Orchestra Mascotte; Blossom Dreams ls threatened."_

Communists Blamed VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP).—Conte de Brinon as the Government's Paris delegate has announced that the policy have exposed details of Communist plot to create troublez between the civil population and the German occupation forces, including a series of planned assassinations. They blamed the former Communist leaders for all sabotage and recent Conte de Brinon stated, "Seven

acts of sabotage have been committed against the railways in addition to the murder of a German officer dur-The following will represent the ing three terrorist demonstrations in Hongkong Football Club in Second Paris. All these incidents were of and Third Divisional Lawn Bowls Communist origin and will be materies on Saturday.

A. B. Cole.

It is learned that three more minor

and Div. v. Talkoo (away).—A. B. Cole.

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W. Gill: A. Watson, J. H. Golling, C. F. Parls region occurred before the band leader, has called aluminium Chaumberg reprisal threat. In each leaders to turn over their aluminium Needham, and W. Macfarlane: R. P. Shaw, C. B. Robertson, A. Brooksbank and K. S. case boits were removed from the mutes and trumpet derbies to Uncle rails, and several cars were derailed Sam for the manufacture of air-Pearse, C. G. Sollis, B. I. Bickford and halling B. A. Mansell; A. Gratton, C. Carr. R. Forrow and G. S. Graver; A. Bailey, J. routed. Russell, S. Strange and J. Ralston. halling traffic until it could be re- craft.

U.S. Army Units At Exercise TACOMA, Washington, Aug.

J. R. Way, W. Stonehouse, W. Stoker and J. F. Lunny; R. A. Owens, R. F. Gregory, W. E. Maciarlano and A. G. Gardner; G. W. K. Crawford, E. L. Groome, J. F. Barron and R. C. Butler. (Reuter).--United States Army units participating in the Pacific northwest manoeuvres are "far ahead" of any divisions sent to France in the Inst war declared Mr Henry L. Stimson, Secretary for War, at a Press conference to-day. Mr Silmson was an artillery

Teeth Froze Up! Mr Stimson was an artillery colonel in France during the last Because of a severe frost, a soldier war. Both he and General George in a New Zealand country camp Marshall the United States Chief of turned out late for morning parade Sinff, expressed approval of the military training which the troops in He had placed his false techn in the far west are receiving.

the morning they were frozen in a army could not be caught unprepared If it was suddenly called upon to expand again. "Sites are being selected and preliminary surveys are being made for 20 more contonments. If the need arises, we will be in a position to start building immediately."

British Forced Down Over Portugal

Cambridge graduate now a regular officer in the Royal-Engineers. This LISBON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .- Two may well prove the answer to the British twin-engined planes came Nazi panzar division. It is un antidown in Portugal to-day. One made tank device produced easily and a forced landing on the coast close chenply and in tests has proved reto Lisbon and the other at Foreira markably effective. It is both dead ly and invisible. The device is be-Bolh planes were burned out bi Ing produced in the command of which the inventor is serving The crows were saved.

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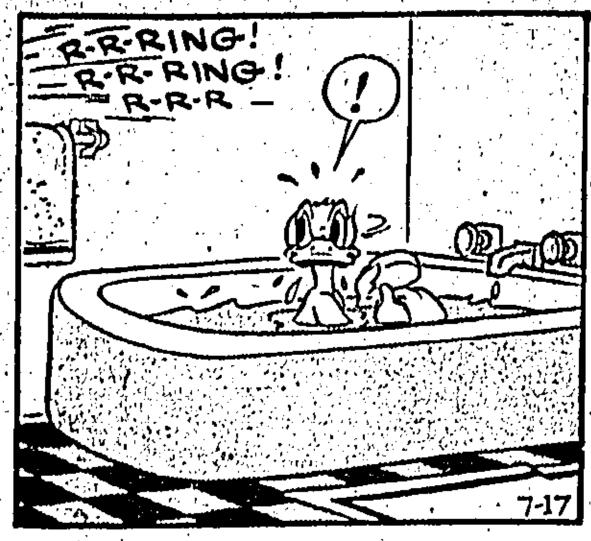
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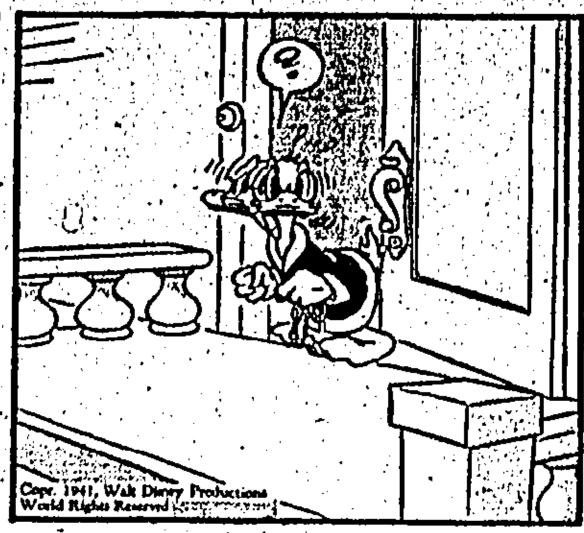
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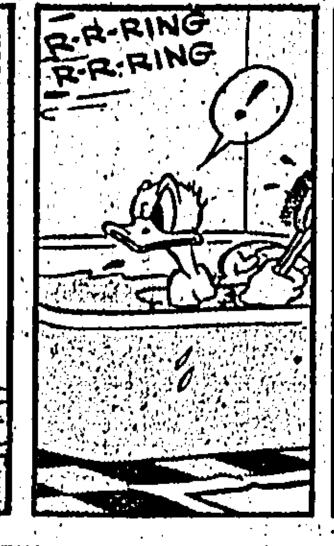
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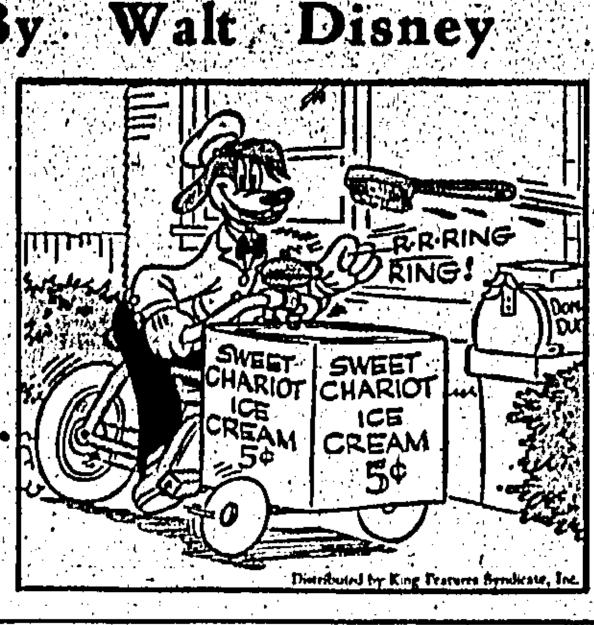
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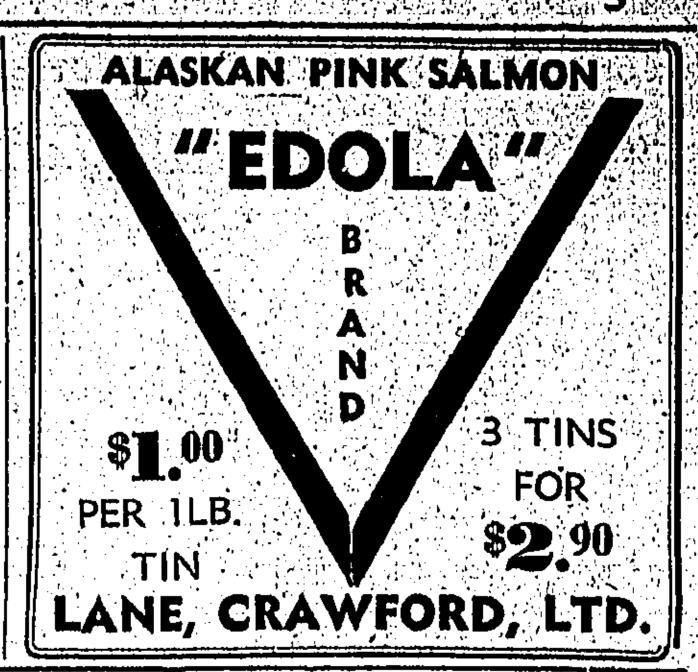








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CORURAGE HOW TO PROVE How to Win BRDGE By JOSEPHINE CULBERTSON—

Inconsistency

Licklish proposition; hence, with shifting to the singleton club. Derare and obvious exceptions, a player clarer's vital club "guess" turned cannot be blamed if his selection into a certainty, and after drawing goes wrong. Once the dummy has West's last trump he spread his appeared, however, the defence slam. ngoinst slams is easier than that against mere game contracts, and was in the fact that quite obviously,

South dealer.

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•	♦ 10 — K 743

	ΑK	743	- .
The bl	idding:		
South 1 0 2 0 4 0 0 0 (1)	West - Pass Pass Pass Pass	North 2 # 3 N T 5 ♥ Pass	Enst Pass Pass Pass Pass

As may be observed, South was anything but timed in his bidding. Having opened with a minimum heart bid, he inter blithely accepted his partner's slam invitation.

West, after considerable thought, decided to open a low spade. Dummy ducked and East's queen lost to the ace. Declarer led a low heart to the king, West ducked, and a second round was led to the ten. West again held up, but took the third round, then, after much more squirming and brow-wrinkling t ing which time East stared mountfully at his club queen with the uneasy conviction that she would

ACROSS

i-Force (Latin)

--Funeral fires

--Indian soldier

--Collection of facts

15—Depart 16—Old woman 17—Companion

-Consumer

1-Uncoulb

-Oreek beroins

7--- Reminiscences

0-Large bird

6-Prices

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i-Mediterranean island

69—Rider (abbr.) 60—Period of time

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67—Tangie 68—Oak uut

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-Pancy decoration

Andrican patrict

EADING against a slam is a pretty firmed East's gloomy forebodings by

The inconsistency of West's play there is no excuse for such a play he changed his mind in midstream. as West made in the following deal: Even though he had first round trump control he properly refused to open his singleton club, being afraid (as he explained later) that such a lead would give declarer a free finesse if East held a minor honor in the suit. But, if the singleton club would have been a bad opening lead, what words can be found for the same lead after the dummy appeared? By that time West could see that declarer's opening heart bid and later slam bid had been based on the A-J of spades, the Q-J-10 of hearts, and possibly the queen of diamonds. Surely, it was inconceivable that he could luck the club king.

Of course, declarer might have guessed the position of the club queen if left to his own devices, but poor East would gladly have taken his chances on that! .

To-morrow's Hand

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable,

	♠ K 752 ♥ 8 ♦ K 542 ♣ A K 74	•
66 7 A 1075 42 5 J 9 B 8 6 J 9	W E	↑ J 9 4 B
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How should this hand be played at n four spade contract, with South the soon be torn from his grasp), con- declarer? Opening lead heart ace.

3-Kind of meal 4-Gratified 5-Fermenting agents

-At any lime

1-Political (abbr.)

30—Orasa fiver 31—Poor paris of town 33—Varble 35—Vegetable dish

19-Blumber

3-Partner (col.)

52-Drawing 64-Flying monkey

52-Highest card

33-Tennia stroke

nt-Prenx: three

IS-Reparation

56-Burfelted

68—21elody 61—Insane

i3—Ellazing

1-Aspanese coin

Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZES

71—Entry of debt 73—Chinese weights

DOWN

73-Primary color

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IN HEAVEN

really lost Stella.

TOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS the house was as silent as the grave. Philip stayed In his room and ate his meals as if he were a man in solitary confinement. And until the late hours of the morning, he would write in his diary, his pen flying, his lips twisted into a peculiar smile.

One night Stella could bear it no longer. She knocked on his door and when she stepped in, Phillip was sitting before the fireplace scanning some letters.

"Stella. This is an unexpected pleasure. Please sit down. I'm just reading your last letter to

She drew in her breath sharply. He had taken them from the post before they were sent, "Youyou 'opened them?"

""Of course. All. And never one word of complaint. Nobody can say you're not a loyal wife."

All at once, he rose and came toward her, "We're so unhappy," aren't we darling?" he asked gently. "All three of us. You, because you love Ward and have to stay with me. Ward, because he loves you and can't have you. And I, because nobody loves me."

Now his voice softened even "We must put an end to it, Stella. We two together." His eyes were glittering madly. "Then I'll have you all to myself at last." Slowly, his hands went toward her throat. "Don't be frightened darling. It's so easy and you know I wouldn't hurt you-"

Her terrified scream cut through his words. "No! No! Don't!" Sobbing hysterically, she ran from the room.

FIHAT NIGHT, when the moon was high, Philip watched her as she crept out of the house, wearing a coat and carrying a suitcase. So she was gone. He felt all twisted inside. She was running to Ward. What he had always feared, had happened.

The next day he telephoned Ward in London and, just as he had expected. Stella was there with him. No, Ward informed him, she was not returning. She had suffered too much. She was going to try to make something else of her life.

But Philip was his most persuasive self. "Oh, I know, she was perfectly right. I deserved it. She can have the divorce whenever she. wants. I'd like to talk to you about that as soon as possible. No. Please, not in London. I'd be too near Stella. You know how

And so it was arranged—against Stella's better judgment. Word was to come out to Chassingford late the next day.

DHILIP . WAS QUITE PLEASED with himself. It had been easier than he thought. Now he went shead with his plans. .They were diabolically simple, yet perfect to the last minute detail. He got them under way a few hours before Ward was expected.

First he sent Clark, the butler, off to mail some packages, taking care to give Annie and Cook the day off. But before Clark left he made an enigmatic statement about locking all the doors and windows. Clark was rather surprised.

Philip laughed. "Not that I'm expecting burglars. But you never know. Everybody has some encmics, haven't they?"

When the servants were all gone he went into the library and tried out his device. "He placed a hunting knile between the door that led to the hall and the door post Then he advanced to the tip of the blade to see that it touched his heart. Satisfied that the knife door. The knife dropped to the but his hund, I'm going to. And

James Hilton

author of "Goodbye, Mr Chips"

"Lost Horizon"

The Story So Far:

married Stella Bergen, a beautiful refugee who has been a companion

to his mother. They are happy but the erratic, morbid side of Philip's

nature develops more and more. He secretly kills Stella's pet kitten

because his friend, Ward Andrews, has given it to her. He becomes

obsessed by the notion that she and Ward are in love. As head of a

steel works he antagonizes the men and almost causes a riot. Then, one

day, nearly crazed, he tries to push Ward into a steel furnace. That

night, Ward confronts him with it. They quarrel and Ward leaves to

go to London. Philip has won but at the zame time he feels that he has

Scemingly normal, intelligent and attractive Philip Monrell has

"Not that I'm expecting burglars," said Philip. "But you never know. Everybody has some enemies, haven't they?"

floor. Then he staggered backwards a few steps as if measuring me. Whatever I've done, whatever how far a body would fall. After that he polished the knife with his handkerchief until blade and handle shone. Then he replaced it in the door crack and tied it to the bell rope in such a way that it seemed as if the knife handle were

I may do, you and Stella are the two people I've loved most in the Deeply moved, Ward gripped his hand. Then he turned and left, the bell handle.

His next step was to spray the grass between the French windows of the drawing room and the garage. The earth was soon soaking wet. It would take footprints

LIE WAS QUITE READY, for Ward when the latter arrived and graciously went out to meet him, leading him over the moist garden into the library. Then he brought out some scotch and soda. "Oh," he said suddenly, "Would you mind ringing for some ice? The bell's right over your head."

Ward obliged but suddenly Philip laughed. "How stupid of There's no one at home. I sent Clark into Chassingford, Never · I suppose we can do with-

Now Philip began to talk gally, feverishly, about everything under the sun. His eye was on the clock

But finally Ward cut in brusquely. "I haven't much time; Philip. Hadn't we better get down to business? You said that you'd like to talk over arrangements for the divorce—"

There was a sound from outside. Philip had been waiting for it. That was Clark returning. Now, all at once, he raised his voice angrily. "Ward, I should have. thrown you out of the house long ago-when you were eneating me and lying behind my back. Yes, let's drop the pretence. I thought you were my friend and you stole my wife. I picked her out of the gutter, and she threw herself at the first man she met." He was pounding on the desk in rage.

"If you don't stop," Ward. shouted back, "I'll break your neck. Leave Stella out of this. She's left you and that's that."

But, all at once, Philip was caim. "Ward I'm sorry," he said with the deepest sincerity. He was satisfied now. Clark must have heard the noise of the quarrel. "When I'm upset, I say horrible things. Yes, I'll give her the divorce. Please go now."

Bewildered, Ward stared at him. 'You know Philip old boy, you really ought to take a hold of yourself. You ought to get away from this house for nwhile." was in position he opened the Philip smiled quietly and held

THAT NIGHT a high wind was blowing when Clark walked into the library. The French windows were open. A dim light was burning. Then suddenly the old man uttered a cry and started back in horror.

Ward-please don't think badly of

Philip Monrell was lying on the floor dead, a hunting knife embedded in his heart!

The arrest and trial of Philip Monrell's suspected murderer was swift and dramatic. There seemed to be no question of it. Ward Androws had killed his best friend. Standing there in the courtroom, Stella watched Ward, erect and pale in the prisoner's dock, listening to the evidence against him. His footprints had been found in the garden. His fingerprints were on the knife. Clark, the butler. had heard his master voice his fear against "enemies." And later. there had been the violent quarrel between the two men.

The Solicitor General Inced the jury. "Gentlemen, you have only to ask yourselves one question. Did Ward Andrews kill Philip Monrell? If the answer to that question is 'Yes' then you are bound to return against the prisoner the verdict of GUILTY OF WILFUL MURDER."

LOR LONG MOMENTS, I Stella sat there with her head buried in her hands. She dared not look up when the jury filed back, when the foreman rose.

"Guilty sir," said the foreman in answer to the Court Clerk's query, and it was like a death-knell in

Outside, she was given a few tense moments with Ward. "Parling," she begged, "don't give up We're going to fight this thing. We'll appeal. - I've been talking to your counsel. He's sure wo've got a good chance-if-" She hesitated.

Ward looked at her closely. "If

'Her voice was low, "If only you'll plead self-defence."

"I see." His smile was strange. "At last I'm to admit what everybody believes. You believe it too. Stella, don't you?" Her face, was averted, "Don't say anything darling because, well, you see, Philip's got us just where he

(To be concluded to-morrow.)

wanted us."



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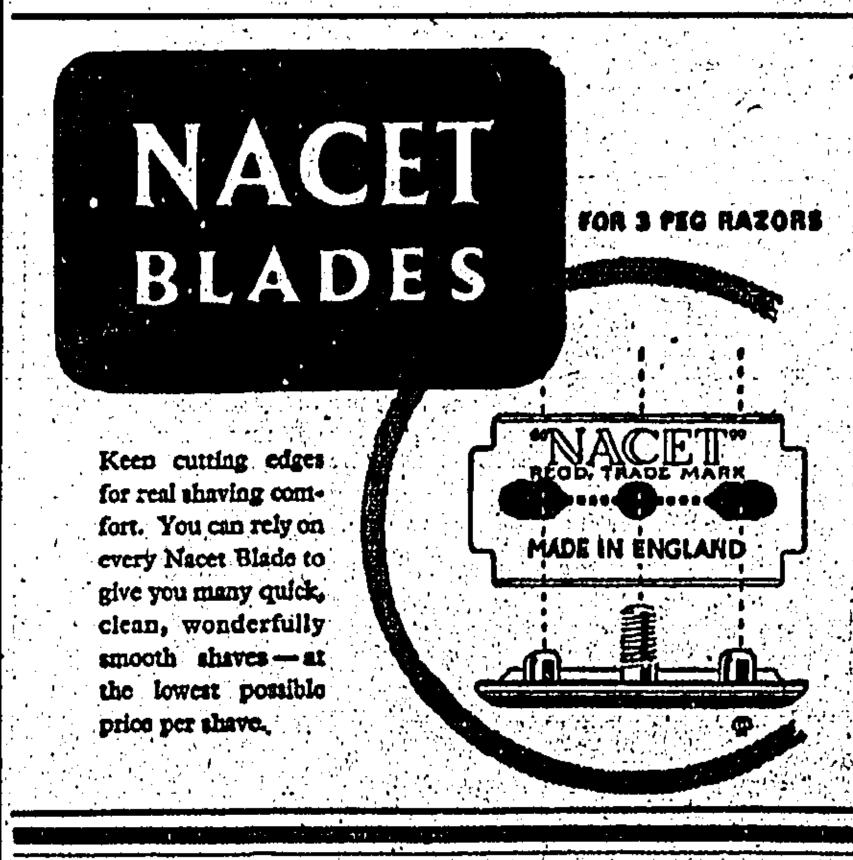
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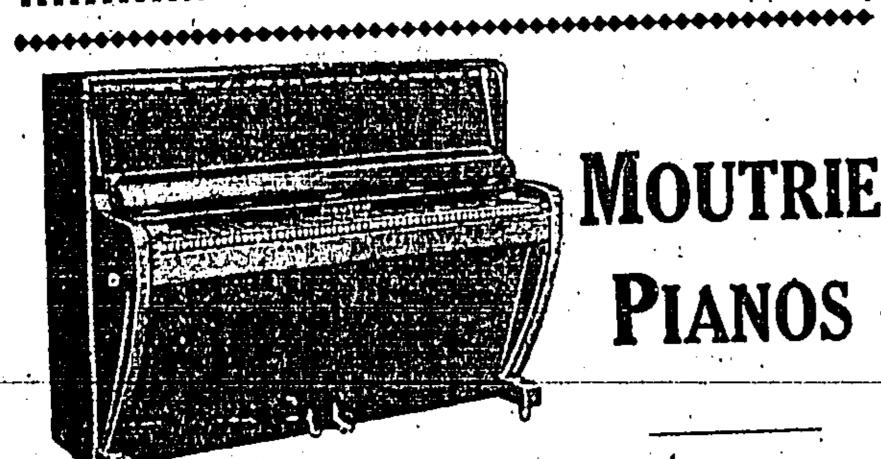
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"Then I must have decamt it. A vivid dream, Hawkins, because their noses all turned

o " Undoubtedly a dream, Sir, since I took the precaution of evacuating the bowl to my pantry when Lord Henry began to sing."

" Very wise of you, Hawkins. | bairbreadth escape."

Were many glasses broken?" " None, Sir."

"No casualties to any of the

"No, Sir. And judging from the amount of Rose's consumed, there will be no beadaches this morning either. We got through six and a half bottles of Rose's Lime

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TIME TO ATTACK?

FF would appear to an amateur student of strategy that the development of the war has opened great possibilities to the Imperial command. At Home we have now an army that must be the best in the world after a summer of strenuous training with the best weapons and with a backbone of veterans of several hard-fought though unsuccessful campaigns in France, Norway and elsewhere. Our production has had relief from continuous bombing and has made great progress. With such forces it is certain that we can hold freedom's most important citadel from any invading forces that Hitler can produce within the next twelve months. The question for our command to consider is whether the British - Garrison-should be kept at home or used to invade the continent.

The number of planes we can afford to send over Germany these days and nights would indicate that we have sufficient to lead, protect and consolidate an invasion force across the Channel especially as the distance is short enough to maintain a constant aerial service. With the Channel blocked at both ends, parachute troops could be dropped fifty miles behind the French coast to tackle the enemy held ports while naval and air protected transports laid slege from the opposite face. Once paths to the principal ports were laid clear a dozen self-contained armies could cut right across to Switzerland. When the success of a north to south corridor had been determined, the risk of further depleting Britain's garrison could be taken and the thousands of trained men who had been prepared for invasion as well as defence could be France of the Nazi troops,

The further question then arises manent defences but we should need terrific strength and we must have

Germany's Major Blunder Victor Gordon

Diplomatic Correspondent, London "Daily Telegraph"

Lennox

For twenty-two months the pendulum of war fortunes has swung steadily in favour of aggressor Germany. To-day we see Germany labouring in the toils of her first major miscalculation or blunder. The German armies were to have been in Moscow within eight dayssome say ten.

By now Russian organised resistance was to have crumbled, revolution broken out, a Quisling Government installed in the Kremlin and the scene was to have been set for presentation to Britain—and the world _of the Nazi New Order peace programme. But Hitler is still far from the objectives which his armies were to have taken, while the United States, recovered from the first shock of finding Russia and Britain fighting on the same side, is accelerating its progression from non-belligerency to para-belligerency. That is precisely what Hitler schemed to anticipate. If he realises that he is in danger of failing we may expect to see the most reckless employment of his available forces in a frenzied endeavour to catch up with the original programme.

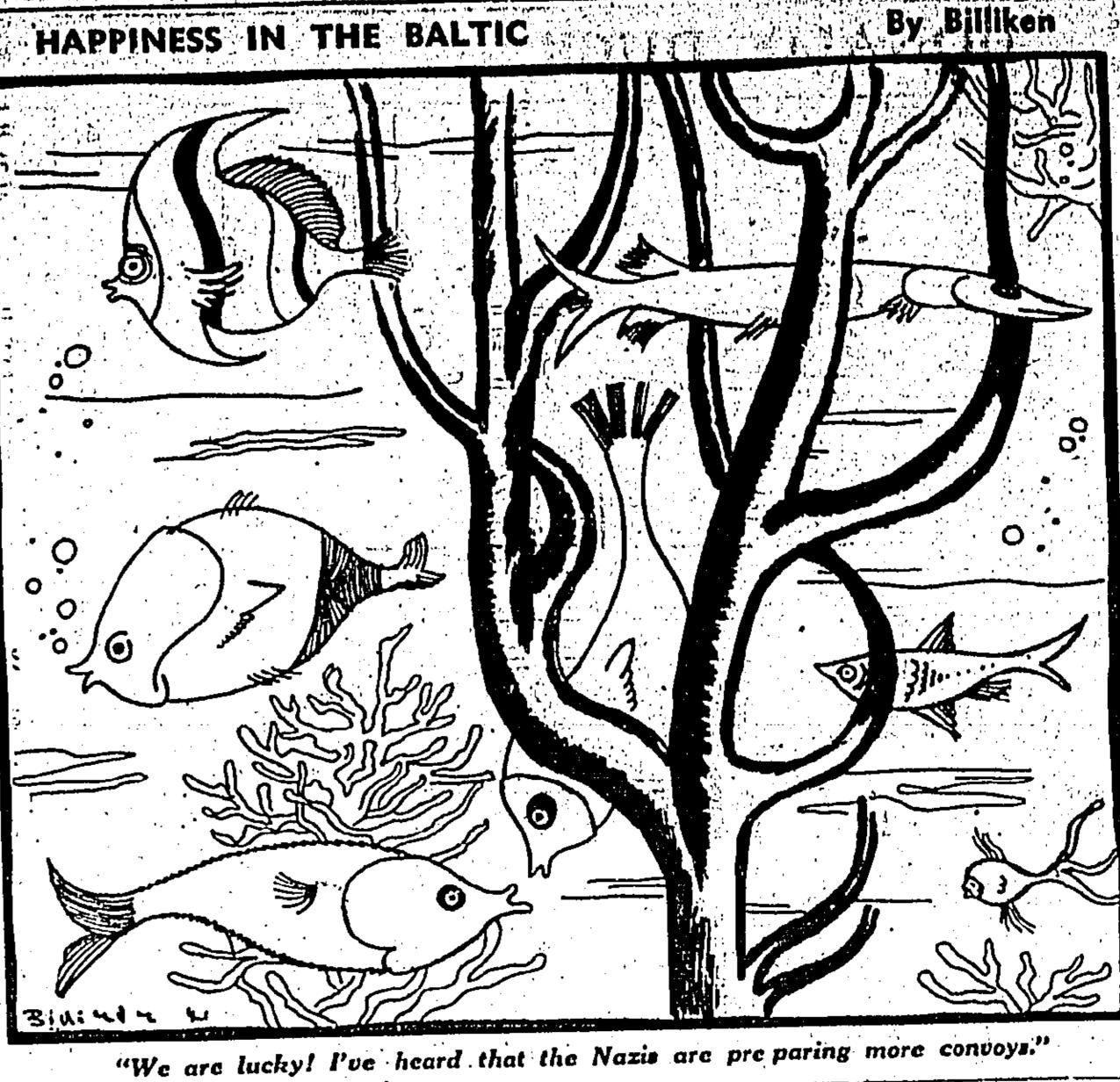
Because Russia is opposing a stubborn resistance to enemy and hitherto has prevented him from gaining objectives we must not lightly assume that the outcome is. foregone conclusion. No sueasy optimism is to be found in

In London we are aware that the Soviet leaders are fully conscious of the great weight of pressure which the German forces can bring to bear on the whole length of this tremendous these circumstances it is understandable that the Russian military mission in London is asking for all measures of aid and distraction which Britain can provide. Moscow probably recognises that these must primarily be confined to air operations with possible naval diversions and consolidation of the British positions in theatres not yet wholly satisfactory. Such would be the situation in Libya - incidentally the area where additional tanks might be employed with advantage by British forces.

Meantime Britain will be doing everything possible to collaborate with the United States in securing the outer defences of the American Continent, Washington it seems to be wellbelieved that bases for the use of American ships and aircraft are-now available in Northern Ireland. They will be of great value to United States ships carrying supplies to Iceland and to American war vessels patrolling the sea lanes along which released from that zone to free all supplies for Britain can be carried.

verses to achieve our main object. It London one which will pay movement of hostility against the north of Australia. How now clear to all observers that there will give every Allied, subject a due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese London, and that the British and the horizontal to consider how near must be on confident in cortain of the automatically involve hard war operations against Singa- Double and the British and the subject a consider how near must be on confident in cortain of the automatically involve hard war operations against Singa- Double and the British and the subject and the British and the subject and the subject and the subject and the subject and subj thrill to consider how near must be on opinion in certain of the automatically involve her in war war operations against Sings-Russian peoples will continue in the day when the fortunes of war Latin American states.

Will form



Dilemma Japan's

The Japanese Government is in the difficult position of being a member of the Axis group and under obligation to Germany The governments of Britain, out and, in the meantime, all and Italy to help them in the Australia and New Zealand vessels flying the Japanese flag event of another Great Power could never allow the Japanese would be liable to capture. entering the war. Russia is to establish themselves in the Japanese trade to the castward now in the war, and this condi- Dutch East Indies, if for no either through the Panama tion might therefore be sup-other reason than that a suc-Canal or round Cape Horn, posed to have been fulfilled by cessful Japanese lodgment in would be at the mercy of the the outbreak of war between this chain of rich islands would British Navy. Germany and Russia. On the be regarded as a preliminary to I am leaving out of account any other hand Japan has a recent attacks in the future on both of America. The American Governtreaty of neutrality and non- Australia and Burma and pos- ment has declared that it will not aggression with Russia. If the sibly India. Government in Tokyo desired to escape from this dilemma and to remain neutral, it could, no Another certain factor in the doubt, be argued that Germany situation is that Japan's rehad made the first hostile move sources would not permit her to cutting off of all oil supplies from the against Russia and that Japan engage in a first-class campaign U.S.A.

clings to the tradition of ob- Malay archipelago and the serving international law and Dutch Islands. It is known cuses would be forthcoming.

vince has a severe climate and for her present war effort Japanese settlers do not thrive against China and for her own a hundred good destroyers and fifty In | in cold weather countries. This industries. has been shown already in An additional war would place traders but have made no head-additional wars would create an way as farmers. The attractive impossible situation. prizes in the Pacific lie to the south, and here the Dutch East Indies are the great reward.

great blow at Germany's strength islands to pass under American south. The latter would entail teraction against the new ag- revolt. The statesmen in Tokyo and we certainly shall not give her protection. Indeed, the Por- a great expedition for the in- gressor. the opportunity of recuperating if tuguese Government, still fear- vestment and seige of Singapore. Whichever war Japan decided losing side. and when slie calls halt on the ful lest the German military and the territory surrounding upon, she would immediately The peace party in Tokyo will, in machine may one day be launch- it. It is quite certain that lose her seaborne trade outside any case, be strongbened by the

By LORD STRABOLGI

has not been consulted before- against Russia in the East simultaneously with a great live on her reserves of petroleum. The Japanese Government still drive to the south against the would follow-from a joint Axis mainland of China. The re-interfere with supply ships and victory over Russia. The north- mainder is fully employed in Japanese armies in China. ern half of the island of Sakha- carrying Japanese exports which lin and the Maritime Province must be sold abroad if the Navy, the third largest in the world. of Siberia, which would be economy of the nation is not to it consists of ten super-dreadnought Japan's share of the spoils, are be crippled and in importing the completed and are as powerful as not particularly valuable. True, petroleum, iron ore, rubber, any in the world. These are supthere are fishing and mining cotton, wool, and other products rights of some value to be ac- in which Japan herself is dequired, but the Maritime Pro- ficient and which are necessary

Manchukuo, where the Japanese the utmost strain on Japan's able British reinforcements could be manage to live as officials and Mercantile Marine, and two sent to the Pacific and there would

Now if the Government of Here is the oil, rubber and Tokyo decides to attack Russia, other tropical products which it must reckon on the British Japan needs, and a ready-made Empire immediately declaring Japan's decision is uncertainty market for her manufactured war on Japan. This decision about the outcome of the major At present one does not know goods. Japanese activity in would be taken both on political the German and Russian armies. what further outposts President French Indo-China and Slam and strategical grounds. It is press on through the lowlands into Roosevelt and his Ministers (Thailand), the important but in the highest interests of the have succeeded in resisting the Germany or south into Italy or to wish to establish in the Central abortive economic negotiations British Empire that Russian regreatest blitzkrieg the German High Germany or south into Italy or to wish to establish in the Central aportive economic negotiations between land that yet undertaken and consolidate our position. The pre- and Southern Atlantic areas, undertaken with the Govern- sistance to the German armies, there is evidence that Germany a consolidate our position. The pre- and Southern Atlantic areas. sent tendency is all against per- Unfortunately, although Por- ment of the Dutch East Indies, should be successful and, in difficulties are increasing. tugal is Britain's oldest ally, and other activities are all any case, prolonged. For the The political side of the blitzkrieg Dr Salazar, her all-powerful evidence of a Japanese move to sake of public opinion in Russia has folled, firstly because the antici-Premier, has no liking for the the south. The Government in it is necessary that all available and available and the hallist and available and the hall available and the hal idea of leasing or lending bases Tokyo must decide whether it aid should be given, and a Communism has not materialised, order to crush the enemy in this one to the United States or per- will attack Russia in the north Japanese attack would have to and secondly because the Russian great blow. Russin has struck a mitting the Portuguese Atlantic or open up a campaign to the be the signal for British coun-masses show no signs of disunity or

eastern from. machine may one day be launch- it. It is quite certain that the northern Pacific. Japanese signing of the Angio-Russian Mili
In considering this offensive we edugainst the Iberian Penin- Japan would have to beat the the northern Pacific. Japanese they Pact. The German propaganda. cannot afford to take too much no- sula, seems determined to es- British Empire in this vast area commerce with the rest of the had been active in Tokyo, as elsetice of Japan. We have offered legit tablish itself and its armed before serious headway could be world must pass to the west- where, in suggesting that Great forces in those island areas. | made against the Dutch East ward either through the Straits Britain would seek a favourable of Malacca, which are dominated opportunity for negotiating u sepaour plans it this falls. We cannot In these directions we may Indies. In these directions we may Indies. It is absolutely certain beyond by the fortress of Singapore, or Berlin and allowing Germany and mediately and we are no doubt look for a careful diplomatic. It is absolutely certain beyond by the fortress of Singapore, or Berlin and allowing Germany and prepared to suller temporary re-approach from Washington and any doubt that any Japanese through the Torres Straits to Russia to Aght if out alone, It is

tolerate any alterations in the status quo with regard to the Dutch East Indies. Even if the Japanese left the Dutch East Indies alone for the time being the Government in Tokyo could reckon as a certainty on the

As the Dutch oil supplies would also be cut off Japan would have to

In the event of the decision being not engaging in unprovoked that the Japanese Mercantile taken to concentrate on war to the front. At the present time the aggression on the German Marine is barely sufficient for south, that is against the British most dangerous thrust is that model. We see evidence of this Japan's present commitments. Empire, the Japanese Government directed against Leningrad. In in the fiction that the Sino- In 1939 the Japanese Merchant intervening on the side of Britain, Japanese conflict is not a war, Navy numbered 2,887 vessels, thus presenting Japan with a war on but an "incident." Neverthe- of 5,629,845 tons. New ships three fronts. It is known that the less, if the Japanese Govern- have been built since the out-Russian military and aerial forces in ment decided that it was in the break of the present war, and a and commanded and self-contained, ultimate-interest-of-the-nation number have been lost by Ger- and that there is a large force of to intervene, reasons and ex- man submarine attack and other long-range bombers stationed in the warlike actions. On balance, it Maritime Province. From there, is doubtful if the Japanese these bombers could attack the Mercantile Marine totals more cities. Russia also has numerous The statesmen in Tokyo have, than 6,000,000 tons. A great notilla of submarines at Vladivostok nevertheless, to remember, that part of it is engaged in supply- which could do considerable damage no great economic advantages ing the immense armies on the in the Sea of Japan and which might

> ported by two brand-new smaller battleships of the pocket battleship type, six aircraft-carriers, of which two are quite new, eight heavy cruisers, thirty light cruisers, about the situation of the German and Italian Navies is such that consideralways be the nightmare of the intervention of the United States of America with an even more powerful Fleet in the highest state of efficiency and preparedness.

Lastly, to add to the difficulties of

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Libya. — Several targets in Circumica and Tripolitania were attacked on the night of August 25-26. Tripoli harbour and dumps near the town were again heavily bombed. A particularly violent explosion was seen to hurl masses of debris high into the air and was followed by a bright fire and a number of other fires were started near the fort and power station.

At Benghazi several bombs were dropped on railway sidings and an enemy encampment. The same night, aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm bombed the harbour of Bardin and obtained direct hits on ships and started fires among petrol dumps.

Bombers of the South African Air! Force bombed and heavily damaged The preliminary census returns transport vehicles near liesuonna

in the Central Mediterranean yes ingure for 1901 and possibly and terday. Direct hits of heavy bombs actual increase of approximately were obtained on one vessel and 60,000,000. another ship was hit and left sinking. Malta Defended

A number of Macchi 200s which numbers 400,000,000, the census approached Malta yesterday evening reveals 389,000,000. The 1931 census were engaged by R.A.F. fighters and have 353,000,000 but this included chased back to Sicily, where three of Burma with about 14,500,000. them were shot down, one falling in

Several other enemy fighters were badly idamaged, Cyprus.—R.A.F. fighters intercept-

ed and shot down one Savoia-60 on Famogusta yesterday. Abyssinia,—Enemy: positions and machine-gunned yesterday by announced to-day the proposed alreraft of the R.A.F. and S.A.A.F.

our aircraft are missing.

STALIN STALLS U. S. REQUEST TO OBSERVE WAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Renter). being prepared for Russia, the Secretary of the Navy, Celonel Frank Knox, replied at a press conference that he had nothing in mind. He replied negatively to questions whether he planned to send a naval officer to the forthcoming Moscow talks or an additional Naval Attache to the Moscow Embassy.

As regards the war in Russia, Colonel Knox said the Government had made repeated futile requests to NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .-send American observers to the The operation of all American fighting zone, "I wish you fellows tankers has been brought under govget some observers to the front."

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—The Government of India have announced allocation and utilisation. that owing to a severe shortage of supplies, no iron and steel will be intention to commandeer tankers but

POPULATION OF INDIA

Substantially: Below 400,000,000

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).for India's populations taken early this year disclose an Mediterranean.—Medium bombers increase of 46,000,000 over the of the R.A.F. attacked enemy ships figure for 1931 and possibly an

> Although generally it is unofficially assumed that India's population Convention have been carried out so

New Zealand

WELLINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) Wolchest and Gondar were bombed -The Defence Minister, Mr Jones. formation of a New Zealand Army From all these operations three or tank brigade for overseas and the establishment of an armoured United States took first place in exvehicles fighting school.

from oversens and officers are being of the Council of the British Chamber lent by the British War Office to act of Commerce for the N.E.I. to-day.

ing soon, will be continued in an from fifth to fourth place. advanced form when the Brigode Germany fell from fourth to eighth Leningrad Rallway with the Moscow would leave any statement on this Three of the officers will be officers some 9,000,000 guilders. of the Royal Armoured Corps,

American Tankers Pooled

was announced to-day.

An official stated that there is no ensuring greater efficiency.

Nine of these Blenheim Bombers

will carry a message to Hitler

from Hongkong.

Enemy Strongholds In Leningrad Proudly Conscious Mid. East Battered Of What The World Expects

(By "Reuter's" Special Correspondent

MOSCOW, Aug. 27.—People who have arrived here from Leningrad have described the city's tense and heroic atmosphere. Every house is like a fortress, Throughout the day and night, fire-watchers are on every roof. Factories are working at a greater tempo than ever before.

Women have in many cases replaced men gone to the front and the city is working with the slogan, "All for the front, All for Victory." The appearance of the streets has changed. Shop-windows are sand-bagged and boarded up.

the last two days.

The general outlook has unques-

lonably improved in recent days.

The German advance on Leningrad

continues but slowly owing to the

violent resistance put up for every

inch of ground by the Russian troops,

tion to defend itself to the last and

Personal Honour

They may not attempt to cut the

rallway until they are very much

Rainy Weather

ditions are becoming extremely un-

favourable for the Germans, especi-

ally if the rainy weather continues

and increases the precariousness of

There is a growing feeling in

Moscow that Marshal Voroshilov's

proud prophecy that Leningrad will

never fall into Fascist hands is not

a vain boast but may be the prelude

Russian Hopes

be the war's most effective counter-

The capture of Dniepropetrovsk is

Failure of the drive against Klev

offensive in the Gomel area.

not confirmed by the Russians.

s manifest—the Germans got

occupiers of the Western Ukraine.

Raffle Prizes

Unclaimed

Will Be Auctioned

April, 1941, giving a dist of the un-

The majority of the prizes, which

value of \$100 each, watches, jewel-

lery etc., are now in the possession of the committee, and it was decided at lost night's meeting that as suitable opportunities occur, the prizes will be

offered for sale by auction at various

public functions, the proceeds to go

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug.

(Reuter).—The Duke of Kent, on arrival at Hamilton, was greeted

by civic, Royal Canadian Air Force and Royal Air Force officials.

He was escorted along streets lined by Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders and his procession was headed by a detachment of Royal Canadian Air Force parecons.

Canadian Air Force personnel.

The Duke visited a factory of the

Canadian Westinghouse 3 Company and inspected its munitions section

after which he lunched at No. 33 Navigation School ht Mount Hope

to the Bomber Fund.

the Bomber Fund.

the long lines of communication,

accept the German challenge will

Leningraders' innate pride.

present whereabouts.

nearer to Leningrad.

N. E. I. Native Conscripts In Arms In Sep

BATAVIA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—It equipped as Moscow's and the is officially unnounced to-day that Germans have already suffered necessary steps for putting into effect enormous losses-101 planes in the law for native conscription recently passed by the N.E.I. Weapons' smoothly and rapidly that the native conscripts will be called to arms us early as September 25.

Home Guards will be organised in Sumatra, according to a scheme already operating in Java. The N.E.I. Government have moreover adopted preliminary measures

whereby all persons "of no nationality" between the ages of 16 and 60 residing in the N.E.I. or employed on N.E.I. ships or ships belonging to the N.E.I. will be liable to compulsory civil defence work, Exports Last Year

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—The ports to the Netherlands East Indies Japan retained second place; Hol-

Nazi Plane Crashes In Eire

Damaged By RAF LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wireless) .-- A JU-88, which crashed Eire yesterday, is an example what must frequently happen

raiders over this country which are only claimed as "damaged." Two fighter pilots intercepted would try to work on Joe Stalin to ernment direction through the opera- JU-88 in St George's Channel late tion of the Tanker Control Board, it yesterday afternoon and attacked at once. On their return to their The Board will co-ordinate their station, they reported it as only epics.

Later news came that the plane had crashed in Eire. A comparison available for the erection of re- the Board would pool the ships and of the times and other details leave sidential or office buildings and direct operations with a view to little doubt that it was the same aircraft.

Troops with bands playing march to the front. Red Cross SUPPLIES seen everywhere. The city will clearly be defended by the most MUST GO modern methods. Anti-aircraft batteries in and around Lenin-TO RUSSIA grad are as active and well-

(Reuter).-Mr Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, at a press conference made it plain that the inspired by Leningrad's determina- United States adhered to the freedom of the sens policy in connection with the shipment of war supplies to Russia through the Pacific.

The eyes of the whole Soviet Union are fixed on Leningrad and the States would insist on the freetown's defence becomes somehow for every man a question of personal dom of the seas in carrying out the shipments despite Japanese Leningrad's biggest problem is to objections, Mr Cordell Hull maintain communications and supplies with Moscow and Vologda from replied that until that policy is Experienced personnels returning in 1940, according to the Chairman the east. Indications are that the revoked, it could be assumed that

up along the difficult and compara-As regards the possibility of Japan The training of the Brigade, start- land took third and Britain went Novgorod and Leningrad and not States concerning shipments to tively innecessible country between making representations to the United

Nomura Sees Hull

The Japanese Ambassador, Admiral For moving heavy equipment, conclined to reveal the subjects discussed, although he admited that account of Russia's ability to obtain materials here which Japan has been unable to acquire.

cated that the United States is, momentarily expected to join Russia in limly rejecting the Japanese protest to one of this war's most glorious against the shipment of American War materials to Russia

men and equipment in Leningrad, it When Admiral Nomura arrived at will be difficult for the Germans to be State Department to confer with bring up adequate forces over long Mr Hull he said that he had brought distances to smash Leningrad's deno formal diplomatic representations from Tokyo. Questioned regarding the Russian trade matter, Admiral LENINGRAD, Aug. 27 (Reuter) Nomura was non-committal but The impression is given that the big asserted that he still hoped for peace German drive which started over a finally, adding "this as well as other fortnight ago is exhausting itself and problems will be settled." that it will take time before another | Questloned whether

Japanese is ready-and time works against the security would be threatened by the Germans, especially in the north and shipments to Vladivostok, he replied, central sectors.

The Germans have certainly not No Formal Protest

succeeded in crossing the lower Dnleper and they are stuck there.

What is equally important is that the arm of the anti-Ukraine pincer movement from Gomel, with which the Germans hoped to have penetrated-ed-Briansk, Kharkov and the Don Basin has been effectively snapped off quiries.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).

—Official circles here have disclaimed knowledge of any formal Japanese included that if there have been any discussions of this nature, they arose only from informal Japanese included. succeeded in crossing the lower Basin has been effectively snapped off quiries.

TOKYO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-The

more in the nature of representation and asks for consideration of Japan's position in relation to the Axis enormous licking again there a few days ago—and the defence of Odessa, the Black Sen's "super Tobruk," confinues effectively and promises to be a constant thorn in the side of the alliance, the Soviet Neutrality Pact and the United States restrictions of exports to Japan, it is learned in

to Russia are clearly intended for use against the Nazis rather than against Japan, officials here have retorted: "Who can guarantee that? Representations are said to have

TURKO-GERMAN At a meeting of The Hongkong War Effort Committee held last

LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wire-less).—The latest authoritative innight, a report was received from Messrs Linstead & Davis, supervisors of the Monster Raffle held early in formation about Anglo-Turkish trade indicates that Britain has definitely replaced Germany as Turkey's most important trade partner.

claimed prizes. These amount to approximately \$6,000 in value, covering making great efforts to further their claimed prizes. These amount to aptrade with Turkey and by economic penetration to influence that country include silverwore, wines and spirits, as they did the Balkans but in this

Six firms have sent cheques to the committee in lieu of the prizes donated, and the sum of \$554 received from these sources is being paid to

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... for the curtain of lifelong darkness has fallen; but there also is hope, for they are learning to be blind, and soon will go out into the world useful, confident and happy citizens."

(Sir Ian Fraser-Chairman of St. Dunstania.)

St. Dunstan's, Hon. Treasurer, British War Organisation Fund. c/o Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

U.S. Attitude · To Japanese Protest

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27

Asked whether the United Germans are for the present moving it was in effect.

base still comparatively close to their point at present to the Foreign Office

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (UP),-

Nomura conferred with Mr Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, for 40 minutes to-day after which he de-Japanese resentment might exist on Meanwhile reliable sources indi-

Both on account of the number of Vladivostok.

Guarantee, Wanted

Japanese Government's "protest" (according to a Japanese report) is

authoritative quarters.
Although reminded that shipments been made several days ago.

TRADE BESTED

open orders on local firms to the case they have falled.

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"WICK'S" BOWLS NOTES

Craigengower

Nearly Beaten On Home

Ground



Nip Lum, sliding home, just manages to make the plate. Tony Mascavage has the ball .-- Ming Yuen.

Louis Will Join If Nova Beats Him

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 (UP).—Promoter Mike Jacobs to- wing. Time 1 min. 8.4 secs.

Women's 50 yards free-style.—Ng Powomen's 50 yards free-style.—Ng Pohing (Eastern), Shum Put (Eastern), Chan day revealed that Joe Louis will join the United States Army if he loses his world's heavyweight title to Lou Nova in their return bout on September 19.

He said that the "Brown Bomber" would engage in recruiting work or act as boxing instructor if he joins Major Baseball the Army.

The negro fighter, Jacobs added, would take a chance on obtaining a furlough which would permit him to attempt to regain the title next June. This return match was specified in the contract Nova signed.

LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT CROWN WON BY GUS LESNEVICH

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP). -Gus Lesnevich secured a close decision over Tami Mauriello last night, winning the world's Battery Lanning, Lopez; Baker. light heavyweight title.

The decision was not unanimous; the two judges voted for Lesnevich | Chicago and the referee, Eddle Joseph, for Mauriello. Mike Jacobs, promoter, announced

that a return match would be held.

Soccer Lecture To-day

The fourth lecture of the series on Soccer Laws, dealing with Law No. 11, the Offside, will be delivered by Staff Sergeant W. H. Foster, Army Representative of the Hongkong Football Referees' Association, to-day at 7 p.m. at Scandal Point Hall. As this is a very complicated law requiring plenty of explanations in or-

all candidates will make it a point to R.A. 4-0. (Rutter 2, Lt Thompson be present.

Pirates Overwhelm Phillies 12-2

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP),-Pittsburgh Pirates overwhelmed Philadelphia Phillies 12-2 to-day in one of the two day games played in the National League. The Giants-Cardinals and Reds-Dodgers games are nighters.

Scores were: NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia
Battery—Blanton, S. I. Johnson, Grissem; Warren.

Chicago Dasseau; McCullough. Boston Battery.—Salvo, Berres.

Water-Polo League

Further water-polo matches in the European Y.M.C.A. Invitation Tournament were played at the "Y" pool last

Y:M.C.A. beat Middlesex "A" 4-2. Goal scorers-for Y.M.C.A. A. F. May (2), R. Goldman and N. D. Booker (penalty); Middlesex, Dinden (2). Signals bent Middlesex "B" 4-0 (Allen 2, Dignan 2). Royal Navy "B" beat 965th Battery

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M. Omar Scores 13 On Two Heads To Avert Indians' Threat

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

THE GOOD FIGHT put up by the Indians in the First Division against Craigengower C.C. at Happy Valley; the even game between Kowloon Tong and Kowloon F.C., the two leading teams in the Second Division; and the victory of Police R.C. over Kowloon Bowling Green Club in -the Third Division were the highlights of last week's League programme.

Swimming

THREAT TO COLONY SPRINT TITLE

friendly gala between Eastern and Colony record.

This was the only outstanding time of the evening, and on the whole, Eastern beat Ching Wing by 15 points

Members 100 yards free-style,-Tam Sikman, Wong Ka-po, Mak Wal-hung, Time 50 yards free-style, - Tsui Hang (Eastern), Law Yuk-wing (Ching Wing), Choy-ha (Ching Wing). Time 35.8 sees.

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Colony found his opponents far too in clean sweeps.

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Ching Wing Wing). Wong Lok-lin all the Way.

(Eastern). Wong Ka-min (Eastern). Time of Doto-Hamilton who altimated a line of the secret 13 shots not be a line of the secret 13 shots not be a line of the secret 13 shots not be a line of the secret 13 shots not line of the secret 13 sh

2 mins 5.6 necs.
100 yards back-stroke.—Yeung Yiu-kwan
(Ching Wing), Wong Shau-shan (Eastern),
Kwok Chun-hang (Eastern). Time 1 min.

mins 52 sees Members 50 yards back-stroke.—Mak Wal-hung. Time 40 secs.

V.R.C. Heats

HEATS for the V.R.C. Members' Gala on Wednesday next were held

Percira.

Members' 50 yards free-style (handicap):
1st heat: 1. L. Vicira; 2. F. Vicira; 3. R.
Sequeira. Heat 2: 1. N. Broadbridge; 2.
F. M. Britto; 3. F. A. Noronha.
Ladies' 50 yards free-style "II" class:
Heat 1: 1. M. Noronha: 2. Y. Yolle. Heat
2: 1. T. Yvanovich, 2. C. Yolle: 3. V. Rull.
Boys' 100 yards breast-stroke: 1. W.
Ribelro; 2. J. Roza-Percira; 3. J. Gomes.

Naturally had hot dropped
a single point on their own
green, might well have been
beaten when they entertained
the Indians.

As it was, they only got through
by three shots on aggregate and had
by three shots on aggregate and had

Golf

U.S. Amateur Reaches Match Play Stages

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Play became much more difficult in the American Amateur Golf Championship to-day wing to a high wind and, though Stewart Alexander increased his first-round score by 10 strokes for an aggregate of 144, he led the field of 64 match play qualiflers by a stroke from John Burke.

Marvin Ward and Johnny Goodman, to show he is a golfer, commanding the last end was played. respect by finishing high with an aggregate of 150. Charles Yates, now an army private, who won the British Championship a few years ago, finished with 154, easily qualifying.

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Avoiding Relegation

The Kowloon Football Club actually won on two rinks but tied on aggregate and had to be satisfied with taking three points to Kowloon Tong's two. And the Police, who are challenging K.B.G.C. for supremacy in the Third Division, managed to win on aggregate as the Tsui Hang Equals Record result of J. C. Aitken's 16-shot victory over Hughie Nish.

Of the bottom teams in the then required four to the and five TSUI HANG, who attained pro- First Division, neither Civil Ser- when minence at the Combined Gaia a vice C.C. nor Kowloon B.G.C. the Indians were lying four—thunks few weeks back by beating David Vice C.C. nor Kowloon B.G.C. the Indians were lying four—thunks Hutchinson in the 100 yards, ca- "B" managed to take a single to a brilliant drive by A. H. Rumtablished himself as a threat to the point. The Civil Servants, on John, who took out A. E. Coates' Colony sprint title last night at a their own green, were over- front of the tack without moving whelmed by Recreio "A" and the kitty. in 24.8 sees and equalling the Kowloon B.G.C. "B" were washed out by Kowloon C.C. at Cox's

> These two teams are in the danger zone, with Recrelo "B", not far off. It is very likely that one then lying one, scoring a five if Minu of these three sides will be rele- could trail the jack two feet. gated to the Second Division next

M. N. Rakusen's rink failed to give for the bigger count. He failed and Chan King-kong, Time 24.8 sees. Mg M. N. Rakusen's rink taned to give for the bigger country, and the Civil Servants a point. They had to be content with a tie on his Women's 100 yards breast-stroke,—Ng the Civil Servants a point. They had to be content with a tie on his Shiu-lin (Eastern). Shum Wat-yung had won their previous seven mat- rink. (Eastern). Chan Mel-cheung (Ching ches but came a cropper against This ches, but came a cropper against. This was the stiffest opposition Saturday, going down by 16 shots. . The singles champion of the other matches there having ended

rink for the first time the week beof the same rink against the Civil KOWLOON C.C., on their own 220 yards free-style—Tai Yuk-mong Servants and proved his worth by (Eastern), Yu Sik-kwan (Ching Wing), beating J.: F. McGowan's four by Ward Fung Wai-cheong (Ching Wing). Time 2 seven shots.

as follows:

Boy's 100 yards free-style: 1st Heat: 1. Craigengower C.C., who up to H. Ribeiro; 2. I. Erickson. Heat 2: 1, J. Craigengower C.C., who up to Gomes; 2, J. Anderson; 3. J. Roza. last Saturday had not dropped shots.

to-sharo the points on the rink re-

arrears.

who began badly by conceding three plonship. three down to Omar.

that of Omar, but then he lost a

Johnny Goodman, title-holder, was spite the fact that Omar finished up and H. Nish by the match winning equal tenth with 152, but the scoring 14 shots to the good. The Indians margin of 16 shots—which easily does not really matter as the cham-plouship will now be continued by game and winning by four points to match play.

Still had a chance of pulling off the covered the two shots lost by A. E. Carey and the four by J. MacDonald, one. But Bradbury's rink did well At the moment, Kowloon B.G.C. on the last three or four heads to are nine and a half points ahead of each 148, followed Burke. Elisworth wipe off Minu's lead and were the Police, who, however, have three

This was an exciting head as it The Indians scored a clean sweep was the last of the day-Abbas against Hongkong Electric, but they meanwhile had finished 11 shots up have left their spurt till too late as against Rosselet-and the Indians they have already lost four matches.

When the skips went down to roll

Bradbury, however, in his first attempt, bumped up one of his front woods for second. Minu then drew second shot, only to see Bradbury push it through.
There was a chance of the Indians,

On the other hand, he could have tried to draw second shot-which would have given his rink victory by For the first time in many weeks, one shot—but he quite rightly went

120 yards medley relay.—Eastern, Ching Johnny Ribeiro's strong rink on the potential champions have had at

The two heads in which Omar secred 13 shots made all the difference between victory and defeat for the two teams.

green, went a long way tobeating J. F. McGowan's four by wards getting out of the danger Jackle Noronha, who has been of relegation by defeating Kowplaying very well of late, piloted loon B.G.C. "B" on all rinks. Recrelo's third rink, which beat Except for the game between

W. R. Hillyer's rink by nine shots. Teddy Fincher and Len Sykes, the The latter, who returned from K.C.C. rinks won fairly comfortably, leave recently, showed good form, Tommy Madar beating H. L. Lockbut found himself against very stiff hart by 22-11 and N. J. Bebbington beating J. C. Gill (skipping for the (first time) by nine. Fincher and Sykes had a good

at the V.R.C. last night and resulted PUT for U. M. Omar's 14-shot match, both skips being given good

IN the Second Division, J. L. A Stephens' rink of N. A. E. MRCkay, T. K. Lim and J. N. Wong nearly gave Kowloon Tong victory over Kowloon F.C. despite the fact that the other two Kowloon Tong rinks were down.

Stephens and his men struck theirbest form to beat E. Kern's rink by The home players must have had 12 shots, but A. J. Kew lost to W. V. a shock when, at tea time, they Field by six shots and Spary was found themselves nine shots in Beaten by P. Younghusband by the same margin.

The Footballers thus took three A. K. Minu, who started off by points against Kowloon Tong's two. losing a four and three to B. W. They are now six points ahead of Bradbury in the first two heads, led their rivals and seem to be in a very 17-10 at the interval; M. R. Abbas, good position indeed for the cham-

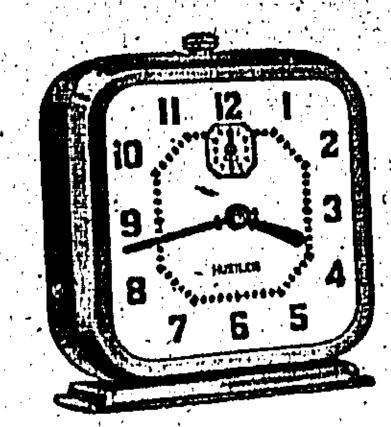
five shots; and A. R. Dallah was IN the Third Division, the two teams most interested in shield-Kowloon B.G.C. and Police Indians went further ahead. -clashed at Austin Road, Dallah had crept up to within one though the former were up on two rinks they could not take the major share of the points owing to the which rather knocked the wind brilliance of J. C. Aitken and his But the game was not over, de-Sir Atholl MacGregor, E. V. Searle

Vines, famous tennis player, continued actually leading by one shot when matches in hand. The position, therefore, is still very open.

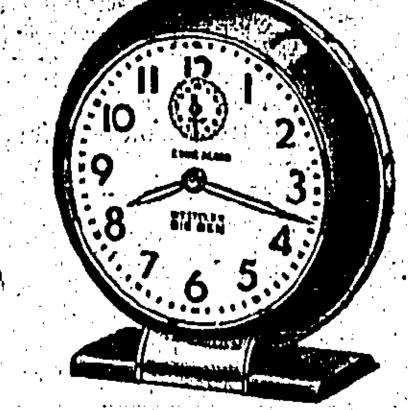
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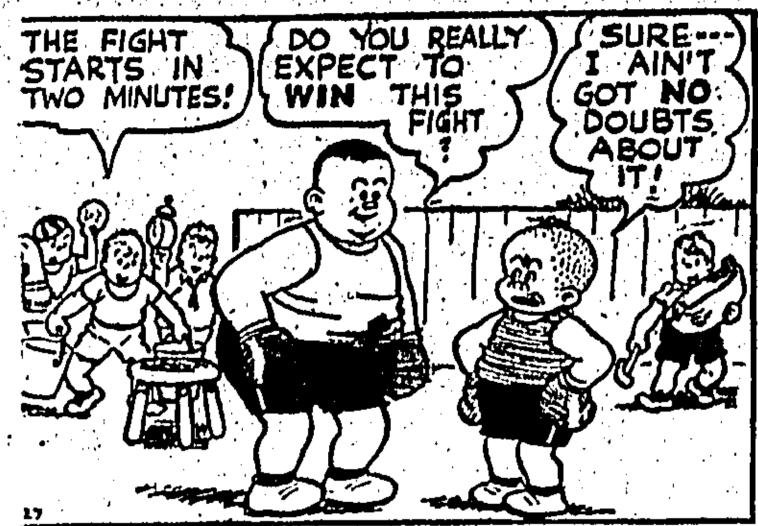
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IMPERIAL

(By "Reuter's" Political Correspondent)

LONDON, Aug. 27 .- There has been much discussion in political circles on the question of Dominion participation in the direction of the war. Point has been lent to this discussion by the recent proceedings in Australia.

that admirable though such a constituted. suggestion is in theory, it . pre- There has been some discussion on practice.

Reference is continually made to the Imperial War Cabinet in the last war but in fact that Cabinet only met three times, once in 1917 and twice in 1918. It was in fact a gathering of Dominion Prime Ministers.

There have been attempts during this wor to arrange for similar meetlugs of Dominion Prime Ministers, but up to the present it has not been found possible to get them all in this country at the same time.

Full Communication

there is very full, inter-communica- tion with the Dominions. of telegrams between Britain and the end of the war. various British High Commissioners in the Dominions and from them to Britain.

Another suggestion which has been discussed is that visiting Prime Ministers should also be members of the War Cablnet. Although there are certain technical difficulties, in this proposal, as in the case of a issued from G.H.Q. to-day states: United Kingdom War Cabinet, in Libya.—In the frontier area, as the practice any visiting Prime Minister result of activity of our patrols, the attends the War Cabinet and takes enemy opened up artillery fire. part in all discussions except those of . In the Tobruk area, there is no a purely domestic nature, and the fact | change. that he is a Dominion Prime Minister gives him special authority one his skefit area, a small detachment, co-

Dominion Ministers

that there should be Dominion machine-guns. Ministers attending the War Cabinet. but a point is made of what powers | CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—In they should be given by their Gov- Iran yesterday R.A.F. fighters conernments.

Government_but_that_would not_be aircraft was shot down while taking the position of any other Minister off at Aliwaz and another was attackwho would presumably have to re- ed on the ground. fer back for approval of any im- Our bombers again dropped pamextent he would be duplicating the tlons holding Pytak Pass. missioner.

that one Dominion Minister should three as stated in yesterday's comrepresent other Dominions would munique, were destroyed. not be acceptable to the other Do- In bombing attacks on Ahwaz aerominions. Each Dominion has its own drome, direct hits were obtained on point of view on the various problems a hangar, setting it on fire and desthat arise and it can and does ex- troying at least one Iranian aircraft. press it.

War Cabinet Too Large This difficulty might be solved by Some 1,200 Italian prisoners, in-the appointment of Ministers from cluding one general and over 500 all the Dominions to attend the War officers, have arrived here.

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In regard to the question of an | Cabinet, but already criticism is be-Imperial War Cabinet, it is felt ing made in the country that the War that admirable though and a Cabinet is too large as at present

sents enormous difficulties in the part played by General Smuts in the last war, but he did not represent citner the dominions or South Africa. He was invited by Mr Lloyd George on account of his qualities as a soldier and statesman and it was in bis own individual capacity that he acted in the War Cabinet. That situation would not apply to people who came to this country as representatives of the Dominions.

Australia's Interest Australia is the only Dominion that is showing any interest in this matter at the moment. The aim of the Government over here is to It must be remembered too that secure the fullest possible collabora-

tion between the various Dominion | Apart from a meeting of Dominion Governments and this country. Moreover the Dominions Secretary attends
every meeting of the Wor Cabinet
and there is a meeting every day
between the Dominions Secretary
and the High Commissioners who
are given a very full account of what are given a very full account of what necessary to deal with the many is going on. There is also a stream problems coming up for settlement at

MIDDLE EAST COMMUNIQUE

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—A British Middle East communique

Italian East Africa.—In the Woroperating with Ethiopian patrols, successfully attacked an enemy fort, A proposal has also been made capturing seven Italians and several

R.A.F. In Action

linued to provide protection for our A Prime Minister can bind his forward troops. One Hawker-type

portant matter that might arise with phiets on Ispahan, Giraz, and Kasbin. all the consequences of delay, and Another force successfully bombed also the fact that to a considerable gun positions and troops concentra-

present function of a High Com- Further reports show that during the operations by our fighters on It is quite certain that the proposal August 25, four Iranian aircraft, not

BOMBAY, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—

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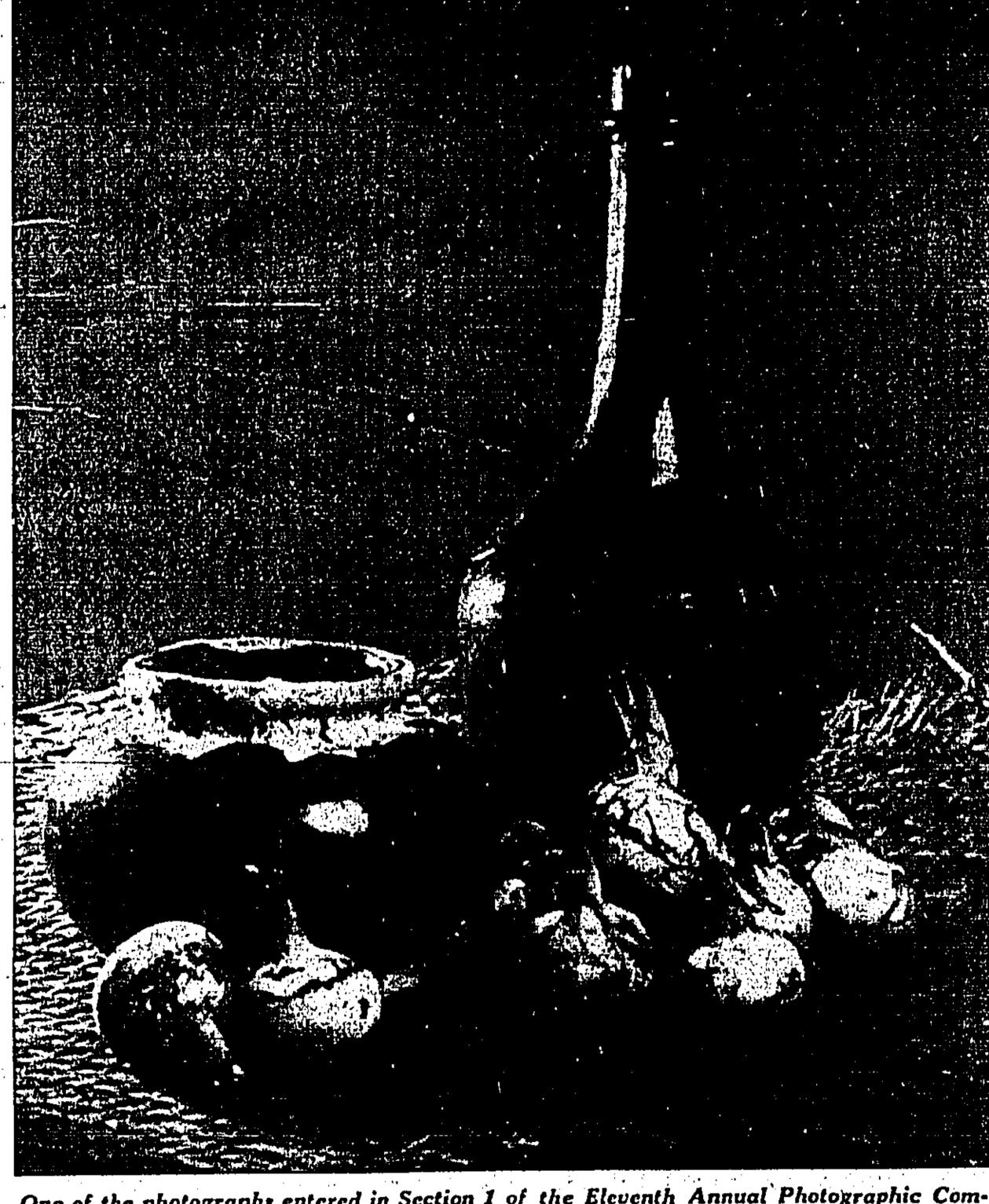
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Germans And Italians Prisoner In Iran Action

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—It is learned here that a large number of Germans and Italians are among the prisoners taken at Bandar Shapur. Many Iranian naval prisoners were also taken at Bandar Shapur and Khorramshah.

borne troops were landed at the Government must by this time be Haftkhel area to protect the sons which led Britain and Russia employees of the Oil Company. to take action and of the importance occupation of Bandar Shapur, Khor- position. ramshah, Sylaimanyah and Qasarsh- Hope is expressed in London to-day sikh. The whole area west of Khor- that the Shah might see his way to ramshah along the Shatt-al-Arab reach a peaceful solution.

British hands. On the south bank of the Karun again to-day. River, the British have occupied a naval floating dock secured in a passage of the river between Basciah

and Abadan. Abadan Island is completely clear-

ed of Iranians. Ready To Temporise?

(BY "REUTER'S" DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT)

Government seem disposed to come out 71 operational sorties.

forward with fresh proposals of a more comprehensive character. It is states that the "courage and devotion believed that the Shah informed Sir to duty displayed by Group Captuin Reader Bullard, the British Minister Beamish are of the highest order and in Teheran, that the Iranian Govern- he has set a magnificent example." ment would be willing to expel all Group Captain Beamish, who was Germans except a few indispensable born in Cork, entered the R.A.F. in technicians within a week and even 1925 and gained the A.F.C. in 1933. those would be removed as soon as He was awarded the D.S.O. in July substitutes could be trained.

Now that the two governments have taken steps to reduce the evil of the German, fifth columnist manocuvres this offer suggest a somewhat tardy appreciation of the circumstances.

ernment will no doubt receive the petition, Royal Hongkong Yacht Club, fullest consideration, but it is obvious flowling Alleys, and several more donations that the military operations that The Fund now totals \$2,504,522,25. The have been initiated cannot be following is the latest list: suspended until the British and Promotion Bet Soviet Governments are satisfied that all potential menace from the Axis Edectic Competition, Royal Hongin Iran has been effectively counter-

Justice of Reasons

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) - Monsieur Millet ("V" Campaign London of reports that the Iranian Campaign Covernment was a second confirmation of Campaign Covernment was a second confirmation of Campaign Covernment was a second covernment of the confirmation of Campaign covernment Government may seek a peaceful settlement with Britain and Russia, there is little doubt that the Shah appreciates the formidable nature of the opposition of the forces moving tollowing donations; and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. the appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing and whampos Dock Co. Ltd. The appointment follows a winter of the forces moving tollowing the King. Government may seek a peaceful

It is now known that air- | Moreover, it is felt that the Iranian The British are now in complete which the Allies attach to Iran's

River right down to Abadan is in It is learned that the British Minister at Teheran saw the Shah Food Riots Break Out

Gallant Airman's Many Flights

LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wire-R.A.F. awards is that of a bar to the virtually the whole year's grain D.S.O. gained by Group Captain LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Now Francis Beamish who, between

1040 and the D.F.C. in November

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SHAH SOLD ALL GRAIN TO NAZIS

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). —It is authoritatively stated in London that the Iran Government, tempted by favourable. credit terms which the Germans less).-Among the latest list of offered, have sold for export harvest as well as stocks of tea that the blow has fallen, the Iranian October 1940 and March 1941 carried and sugar with a complete disregard of the needs of the The official notice of the award Iranians.

Already there is much destitution. Food riots have taken place in Sharaz, Ispahan, Yezd, Kerman and Hamadan and even in the capital there is a serious shortage, and discontent is rife.

Supplies From Iraq It is estimated that in the oil areas of the southwest, the existing sup plies will suffice for the barest needs of the civil population; only until September 15.

In view of this lamentable state of affairs, orders have been given to the General Officer Commanding the The proposals of the Iranian Gov- included \$187 from the Eclectic Com- British troops to import at once into the area occupied by the British 650 tons of wheat from Iraq. This represents something like one month's supply and will meet the initial requirements. It will in due course; be supplemented by further 6.80 | consignments from India.

Civilian Governor For Bermuda Appointed

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). Viscount Knollys has been appointed Governor and C-in-C in Bermuda. succeeding Lieut-General Sir Denis Kirwan Bernard, whose resignation rrhe appointment follows a recent decision that the Governor should be



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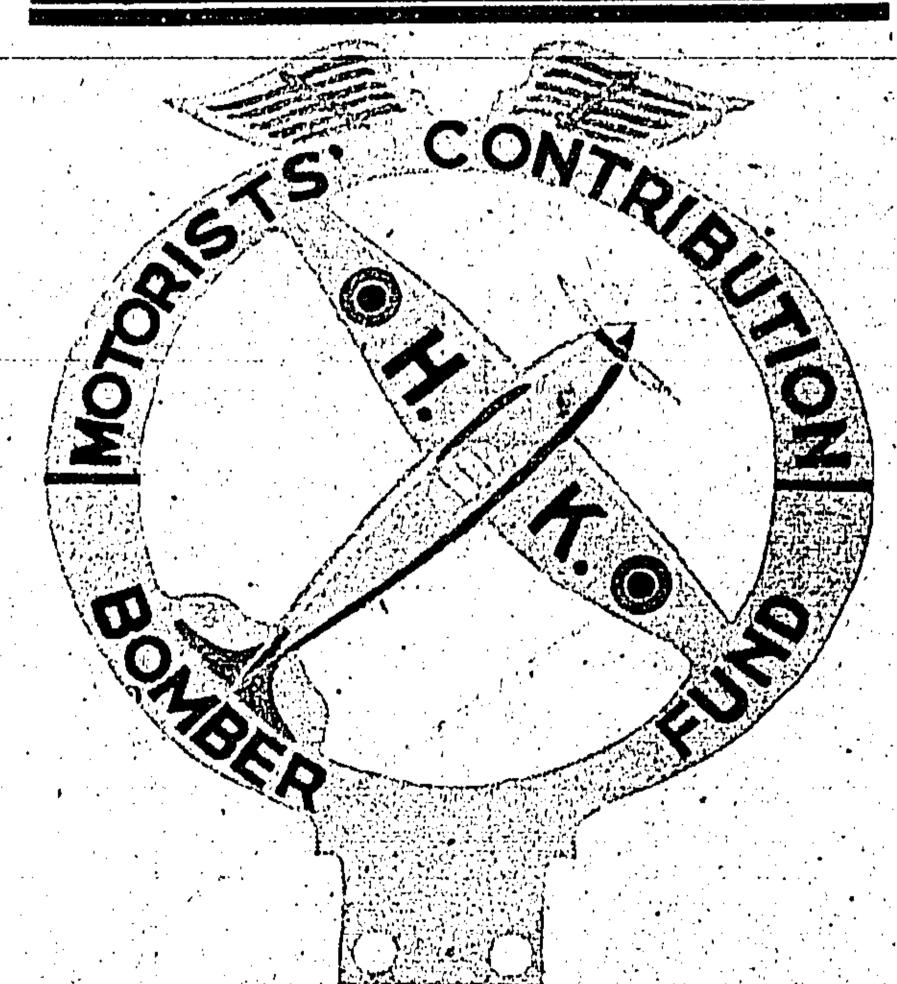
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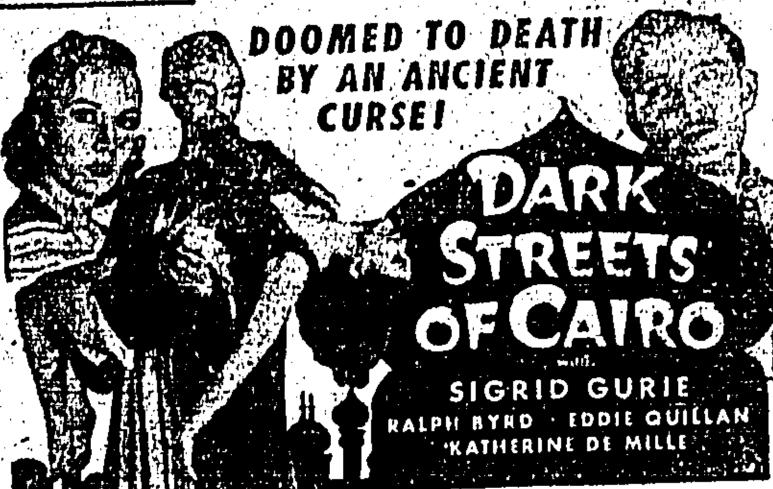
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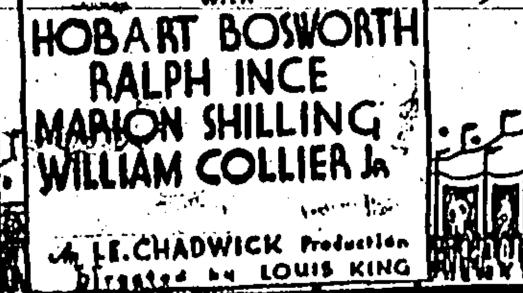
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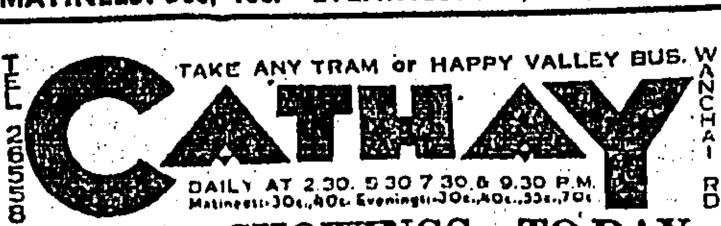
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Communists Attempt Assassinate Laval

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Thursday

former member of the Cabinet, arrived from Vichy at 9.30 pan, and went directly to the hospital.

Incident Described LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .--Pierre Laval and Marcel Deat were shot at and wounded—though not seriously—at Versailles this after-

The assilant was a young man, Paul Colette, aged 29. afterwards made the following state-

noon, says the Vichy news agency.

ment to the press, according to the Paris Radio: "This afternoon Laval and Deat have been the victims of an attack monotony. under the following circumstances:

Thereafter official visitors inspected lines and pull the fish out of the right of Marshal Budenny. the barracks.

porch of the barracks. According to preliminary investigations, Laval nours on end. The hand swam off. mands so as to deal piecemeal with to which I paid no particular attention. A few moments later, I ob- working pageby blogding templated taleday for these tactics are certion. A rew moments later, I observed Laval, supported by some people. He said 'They have hit me.'
"He was immediately removed to the Versailles Hospital."

"I observed Laval, supported by some working nearby, blasting trenches tainly full of menace but it is possible that the Russian commanders out of the rock with high explosives. The said 'Fish' he said, "I'll get you some have some cards up their sleeves."

"I get you some have some cards up their sleeves."

the Versailles Hospital. "Dent was also wounded.

Deliberate Attack "The alleged attacker has been arrested. He is a young man who has admitted that he Joined Legion for the purpose of committing the attack.

"Laval was shot in the arm and in his side. The bullet has been extracted. "Deat was also shot in the arm.

"The conditions of the victims are not considered to be serious."

To Shoot Someone Brought before an examining Magistrate, Colette said that he was born at Mondeville in the Depart-

volunteer," he said. "I had decided to enlist in the ed above all he was an attorney. Legion with the idea of shooting Defending himself in police court, a report from General Ivan Beredown someone. The only man I he asked the arresting officer, Paul zovsky. could recognise among the person- Goble, if he could produce a certiages was the former Prime Minister, ficate of accuracy for the speedome-Laval. That is why I fired at him." ter of the officer's motorcycle. He The inquiry is still continuing.

ENEMY CONVOYS SMASHED

FROM PAGE ONE

tactics while its gunners kept up a concentrated fire on the enemy

One gunner alone, according to the Air Ministry News Service, fired 1,500 rounds. He saw pieces fall off a Messerschmitt, but there was no time for checking scores.

Blenheim Worsted

The flack ships put up a flerce defence and one Blenheim was seen to fly-through the thick of the barrage, receive a hit and dive into the sea. About half an hour later, Blenheims with a fighter escort, found an even larger convoy off the Dutch coast. There were two lines of merchantmen staggered in line astern with flack ships at the four corners of the convoy, and two in the middle

on the seaward side. Fighters were seen but they stood off not engaging either the Blonheims or the fighter escort.

Largest Ship Sunk A Blenheim attacked the largest ship of the convoy from a height of 50 feet, dropping a bomb which blew all the top works off midships, caus-ing a billow of black smoke to immediately cover the entire vessel. Another Blenhelm dropped a bomb on the same ship which broke up quickly and sank.

In all, four other ships were hit and left blanketed with flames. Both fighters and bombers machinegunned bridges and decks of many "Nothing could have lived on those bridges after we had put such loads of lead in them", says one Blenheim gunner.

Greatest Fisherman

As far back as the oldest in a wedge. stomach in a desert squadron of Ambassador in the Occupied Zone, astute minds grasped the fact with extreme reserve. that this blue water, Mussolini's very own Mare Nostrum, could solve the problem of gastronomic

Inspection of Barracks the doorstep so to speak. Grilled ject of the Russian counter-offensive soles for breakfast. Lobsters at Gomel. Considerable importance volunteers of the anti-Bolshevist for lunch. Herring, cod, turbot, is attached to this Soviet attack as Legion were to enter their barracks. prawns—maybe even a caviar- it is felt it may have a decisive in-At the beginning of the ceremony, stuffed sturgeon and an occathe French colours were holsted and sional turtle for the soup. All to the point of junction between the first time in occupied territory. they had to do was to get a few left flank of Timoshenko and the

Next day he was seen walking, down to the beach with a number

There was fresh fish for everybody that night. The toast in the Mess was: "To the greatest fisherman the R.A.F. has over known."

Attorney Stumped | dead is estimated at 40,000.

PASEDENA, Cal., (UP),-When ment of Calvados. "I only arrived in Versnilles this afternoon as a attorney Clark Edwin Davis was arrested for speeding, he remember-

> could not. Police Judge Kenneth N. Newell, conducting the offence, asked Davis

Davis paid a \$5 fine.

Deep Into Iran

FROM PAGE ONE

Germans would be expelled within one week, it was stated, "We have been negotiating this matter for some time and have had that sort of promise before."

Soviet Advance Continues

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .--Information about the progress of the Russian troops in Iran is still laconic but the place names mentioned in the communique leaves no doubt that progress is rapid and is not meeting

The Soviet press strongly em-

"Prayda" stresses, the largely feudal nature of Iran society and the exorbitant rents being paid to landlords and also Hitler's influence over the Fascist officer elements of the Iran Army.

the Russian advance into Iran that motorised troops are being largely

Report LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Ac-

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Strong Russian Counter-Attacks

FROM PAGE ONE

for the Germans to attempt to drive

The Russian communique again the R.A.F. could remember, it speaks of severe fighting all along the had had nothing in the way of front but does not mention any place food that had not come out of specifically. It must be admitted tins. But, close at hand, the that this severe reticence of Russian blue, Mediterranean lapped the degree of nervousness especially us sands of the North African it leaves the field clear for resoundconst. With a sudden flash of ing German claims fortunately these Count Fernand de Brinon, French insight, one or two of the more nted that they are always treated

Leningrad Area

There is no further news of fighting in the Leningrad area nor, more Fish! Lashings of fish, on significant still, is there any more

Having falled in their biltz tactics "Thousands of the Versailles They got the lines, made hooks and the policy of attrition not yet population in a procession, in which opened tins for bail and fished as having yielded appreciable results, I was present, passed under the siduously with watering teeth, for the Germans are apparently trying hours on end. The fish snifted at to separate the three Russian com-It was therefore somewhat tough the one offering the best chance of

BERLIN, Aug. 27 (UP). - Radio posse of stout awimmers at his heels. Berlin to-day announced that Borl-The bottles contained H.E. and fuzes. slav, near the mouth of the Dnieper the Shortly afterwards there was a dult river has been captured. The town rumble, the sen heaved slightly, the swimmers plunged in and returned to head debate. The town with schools of stunned fish in their to hand fighting. Five Soviet battalions reinforced by pioneers were destroyed, 1,500 were taken prisoner and the streets are strewn with dead. According to a special communique, the Germans have captured Velikije Luki where they took over 30,000 prisoners and 400 guns. The Soviet

Huge German Losses

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP). - The Germans lost 80,000 dead and wounded, 200 tanks, 100 guns and 100 planes in the battle of Gomel according to

Hungarian Claims

BUDAPEST, Aug. 27 (UP).-A communique issued to-day states that Hungarian troops have crossed the Lower Dnieper at several points. for a certificate of accuracy for his The Soviets "threw all available forces into the cost bank of the Dnieper, but counter-attacks repulsed

Soviets Penetrate

by guaranteeing that most of the

opposition.

phasises that there is no quarrel with the Iranians.

It is apparent from the speed of

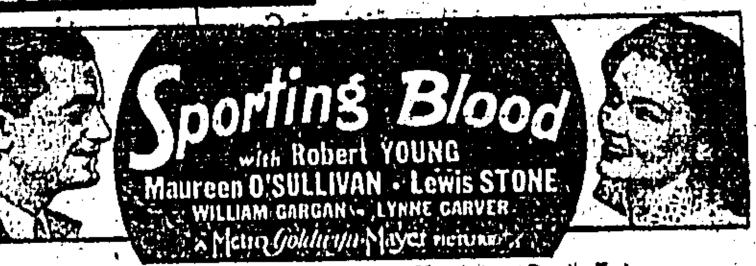
Iranian Cabinet Resigns,

cording to an Iranian spokesman in Ankara, the Iranian Cabinet resigned to-day, says Martin Agronsky, the N.B.C. radio commentator.

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According to a Budapest mes-

sage to the Vichy news agency

to-night, Russian troops have

launched counter-attacks "with

all their available forces" on the

lower Dnieper River battle-front.

Rumanian Army Discord

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-General Ciuperca, former Inspector-

General of the Rumanian Army, has

been shot for opposing the sending

of the Rumanian Army to fight beyond the Dniester, according to rumours in Bucharest quoted by the Islanbul correspondent of the Independent French news agency.

He adds that 12 Rumanian Generals have resigned for the second

erals have resigned for the same

On Road To Moscow

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—
"Annalist" writes: With blare of trumpets and roll of drums the Ger-

mans to-day announce the capture of Velike Lugi, a junction on the direct railway from Riga to Moscow. They claim a big bag of prisoners and 400 guns.

The area marks the junction of the armies of Voroshiloff and Timoshenko and it would be the natural place

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GERMAN

PRESSURE

ON TURKEY

New Developments

Anticipated

LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP),—A

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

dispatch to the "Daily Mail"

from Beirut states that renewed'

German diplomatic pressure on

Turkey, coupled with the spec-

tacular military preparations in

Bulgaria and the Aegean Islands.

has resulted in the belief that

Hitler is contemplating a move:

far all have been repulsed.

The Hungarians claim that so

Shot At By French Communists



M. LAVAL

ENEMY CONVOYS SMASHED

British Bombers

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). -Pickings are becoming a bit rare these days for the boys of received by His Majesty. the Coastal Bomber Command and when the eager eyes of these boys, therefore, observe a German convoy they allow no obstacle of danger to stand in their way.

group of Blenheim bombers flying in patrol without the benefit of escort, sighted a large enemy convoy off the German Frisian CONTINUES Islands. It was observed that the convoy was extremely well protected. The Germans were taking no chances with this precious freight.

There were six flack ships which are vessels specially fitted as antinircraft destroyers, bristling with merchantmen while above circled a patrol of Messerschmitt 110's at about 1.000 feet.

as a target and the crew believe northern France. that they got a hit, though they could not verify this as the pilot had to make a snap turn to avoid hitting the ship's mast.

Freighter Hit

Another Blenholm attacked a than two hours. freighter, dropping bombs amidships causing a great flash, and flames and smoke leaped into the air.

Other crews busily occupied them-

selves with bombing and machinegunning the ships and escorts. Meanwhile, as was expected, the enemy, aircraft escort pecled off and came down to engage the Blenheims which were skilfully intent on creating havec among the merchant-But the British were ready flying formation adopted evasive morning while attempting to fly in

Special to the "Telegraph"

SHANGHAI, Aug. 28 (UP). — Non-Axis Vladivostok.

reported to have engineered the shooting of Baron Hiranuma, are doing their utmost to obtain a military Cabinet which will press for expansion.

These reports say that it is understood that Japan has reached the cross-roads where she must within a fortnight

It is indicated that the present government is one with which a Japanese rapprochement with the British and Americans might be reached, but failure would result in the formation of a strong military government.

Significant Interviews Stirring Actions By

Nesterday some significant interVesterday some significant interViews took place in Tokyo, the Previews took place in Tokyo, the Premier, Prince Konoye, and the Foreign
Minister, Admiral Toyoda, having
Africa at the disposal of the long audiences with the Emperor.
Prince Konoye had received the

Prince Konoye had received the latest information in the hands of the Cabinet Chief Secretary and the Min-German influence at Dakar, was ister of Information before he 'was read with attention, states Vladivostok Issue

TOKYO, Aug. 28 (Domei).-Declaring that the nation's en-TURN to Back Page, Column 5

On Tuesday about noon, a OUR AIR. OFFENSIVE

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

FOLKESTONE. Aug. guns. They were guarding the (UP) .- The R.A.F. to-day began a procession across the Channel before breakfast with squadrons of bombers and fighters follow-Against this formidable line, the ing each other with procession-Blenheims roared in low to attack. like regularity. The planes ap-The first pilot singled out a freighter peared to be heading for

> As squadron followed squadron, glinting in the brilliant sunshine, several groups of fighters returned. Many flew at very high altitudes for more

Enemy Planes Destroyed

thoritatively stated that ten enemy fighters were destroyed during offensive operations over northern France early this morning. Eight British fighters are missing.

German Figures

BERLIN, Aug. 27 (UP).—Accord-

PUBLIC CEREMONY TO FAREWELL GOVERNOR

A public farewell ceremony to His Excellency Sir Geoffry Northcote, R.C.M.G., and Lady Northcote will be held at 12 noon on Tuesday September 2, at the King's Theatre which has been kindly lent by the Directors for the occasion.

delivered by the Honourable Mr residents of Hongkong, and His J. J. Paterson on behalf of the Excellency will reply. Community of Hongkong, and a dially invited to attend. The whole Chinese address by the Hon. Sir of the Dress Circle will be available Konoye Cabinet a week before it Robert Kotewall, O.M.C., LL.D.; of the accommodation of members TURN to Back Page, Column 5 at the conclusion of which a special invitations. All attending are special invitations. All attending are asked to be in their seats by 11.50 Excellency; and a small gift to am.

aiAll members of the public are cor-

diplomats have received reports from Tokyo that a Cabinet crisis is brewing owing to the failure of the Konoye Government to solve the problems arising from the British and American freezing and embargo, and also the failure of the Government to halt United States shipments to

At the same time, the pro-Axis group, who are

W. African

Bases For

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).

-A report from America that

United States as naval bases,

"Reuter's" Diplomatic Corres-

The Free French Headquarters in

London stated that they had no

cnowledge of such an offer though

From what is known of the

General's ylews, however, lt was

the United States, the Free French

would gladly place them at America's

OPPOSITION TO

VICHY GOVT

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

liament, through M. Herriot, Presi-

dent of the Chamber of Deputies and

was a violation of the constitution.

LATEST

POSSIBLE CRISIS

VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP),-The Par-

in any case the decision would be

made by the General himself

these ports would prove useful

pondent.

Brazzaville.

disposal.

finally determine her policy.

More Attacks Un Northern France

LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP).—It is au-In Japan, Hint Diplomatic Reports SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" SHANGHAI, Aug. 28 (UP).—Ac-

TURN to Back Page, Column 4 over the Belgian and French coasts.

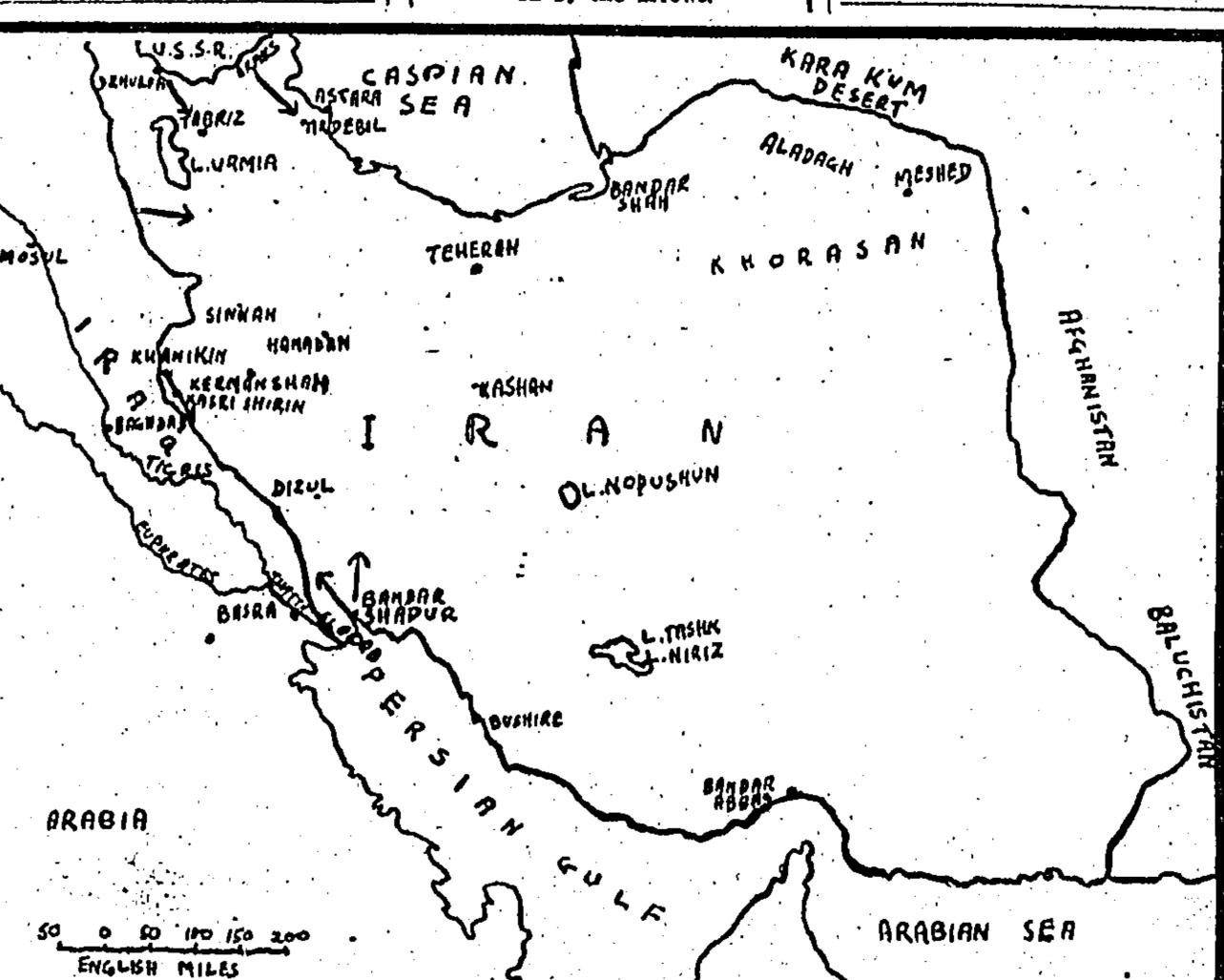
virtually given up hopes of for this contingency, and one flight ing to the official news agency, ten Anglo-American rapprochement due of Menheims acting as a section in British fighters were shot down this to Washington's dispatch of General food reserves. Magruder's mission to Chungking The practice is reported to have Radio London announced an interand the strong Washington and developed where merchants re- cepted Moscow Radio report saying Moscow, statement regarding ship— exported these products to Indo-ments to Viadivostok, coupled with China and Japan, some of which were was repulsed and over 100 Nazi Molotov's warning that if Japan trans-shipped to Germany, complanes were shot down. stops supplies going to Viadivostok it manding a much higher price than Toterbonic advices from

are reports that the Japanese have

It is indicated that the Japanese have reached an economic impasse as a result of the freezing and emburgo orders which have confronted Konoye with the alternatives of reaching a rapprochement with Britain and America in this connection or, resigning, bringing in a A valedictory address will be Lady Northcote by the Chinese complete militaristic cabinet which

and Russian forces to forestall action, is progressing favourably. This map indicates the points from where the Allies are making their advance. The Brillsh attacks are mainly from Iraq and in the south, while the Soviets have made two penetrations from the north as indicated by the arrows,

Strong Russian Counter - Attacks Launched on the Dnieper **Front** VICHY, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-



Roosevelt's New Ban

No Military Tools For Axis From Philippines SPECIAL_TO_THE_"TELEGRAPH"_

thought that if America considered WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (UP).all inclusive proclamation preventing muchine tools, military equipment or machinery from reaching non-military countries.

This is presumably designed prevent such materials from moving through the Philippines to Axis firms enumerated in the July black-list.

Tight Control

The proclamation places re-exports from the Philippines under tight con- ed trol, thus plugging the leak in food-M. Jeanneny, President of the Senate stuffs and other products from the to-day sent a formal written protest Philippines to the Axis nations. against the Government's order to The proclamation accomplishes

evacuate Vichy, pointing out that it what Insular legislation submitted for Presidential approval sought on Both Houses also sent delegates to see Admiral Darlan, the Vice Pre- somewhat different lines, thus inmier, who denied that the Govern- directly confirming an earlier "United Press" report that ment intends to violate the constitution or attempt to repress Parliament. Philippines Bill would not be signed. Under the proclamation the President has shut off all further reexports of materials originating in the United States which are shipped to the Philippines. The action was taken on the theory that these materials, namely foodstuffs, vegetables and onimal fibres were

essential to United States defence.

Quezon's Action President Quezon is understood to have initiated action some months ago to halt re-exports of rice, canned fish evaporated milk and several othe important products which drained the cording to non-Axis diplomats there Commonwealth's food supplies at a raid alarm for eight nights. time when shipping shortage impeded

would be regarded as an unfriendly the Philippines importers originally

the Government seeking to build up

Iran Cabinet

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (UP) --

ATTEMPT ON TICE OF

Special to the "Telegraph"

VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP).—M. Pierre Laval, President Roosevelt to-day issued an former Premier of France, and a pro-German, was attacked to-day by a Communist during a ceremony for the mobilisation of anti-Communist volunteers at Borgnis des Bordes barracks, Versailles, shot in the arm and liver and seriously wounded. M. Marcel Deat, editor of the Germancontrolled Paris daily "L'Oeuvre" was also wound-

> Laval, with other prominent Frenchmen arrived at Versailles at 5 p.m. to attend the formal raising of the

LENINGRAD RAIDED

Planes Downed SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP)-

report that the Popular Quards are digging a new ring of trenches and extending the elaborate defences whole city bastion has changed its appearance beyond recognition from iland or air.

Americans: Leaving

to counter the Anglo-Russian

French colours over the barracks.

More Than 100 Nazi

cow has been without an air TURN to Back Page, Column 3 worsening Soviet-Turkish relations.

Attackers Repulsed

Telephonic advices from Leningrad

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| dence | and shown that she was (Thursday) for Shanghal chroute to centres.
| Schools will probably be encour- came available; to the publications of t

During the ceremony, two terrorists approached and shot all possibilities. at Laval from a few yards. One assailant, identified as Paul Colette, a communist, was taken to prison after being nearly lynched by bystanders.

wounded Laval to hospital. This marked the first terrorist

march on Iran. The report said that Ambassador von Papen is returning to Ankara to confer with M. Sarajoglu and cited that the Turkish Ambassador to Berlin has been. summoned to Hitler's eastern front headquarters after a

lightning visit to Ankara. Noting the reports of German concentrations, it said, "The important: British military conference iust concluded at Jerusalem surveyed

Von Papen In Ankara

ANKARA, Aug. 27 (UP) .-The German Ambassador, Colonel Franz von Papen arrived in Ankara this morning and conferred with the The official party removed the Foreign Minister, M. Sarajogiu. Istanbul Story

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP).—A Tass dispatch from Istanbul, citing attack since the Shaumburg authoritative Bulgarian sources, re-MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP).- manifesto was issued threaten- ports that the Germans are prepar-Large scale and continuous air ing to shoot hostages for attacks, ing an anti-Soviet move and are raids are reported over the on Germans. Laval has receiv- planning to release several Turkish approaches to Leningrad. Mos- ed numerous threatening letters them and blame Soviet submarines,

H.K. Soon to be Able to Buy War Savings Certificates

It is hoped that very shortly Hongkong residents will be able to purchase war savings certificates in the Colony.

This was indicated officially this morning, when it was reinward. They described that the yealed that the Secretary of State for the Colonies had approved of the idea of making available to the Hongkong public savings certificates in a similar manner to which people at Home can purchase.

Legislation is now being | aged to assist the war effort by buydrafted to make this effective ing these certificates, as they are in and it is expected the Bill will tion of usually sixpence is made by

obtain access to strategic raw ankers "N.B.C. a states that the materials.

The "Hoch Shimbun" which predicted the resignation of the previous that the new premier when appointed that the previous that the prev that the new premier when appointed officials and a group of missionaries was weeked. Although not discovering. Business houses would announce satisfaction at the headed by the Episcopalian Bishop It is presumed, although not also organise drives in England for would resistance? put up by the Charles Relistider and other Ameri- stated, that war savings certificates the sale of certificates, or towns a stated resistance? Post Oftolegit resistance put up by the cans are sailing on the Tatuta Maru will be purchasable from Post Of special Shvings Week. These ideas from desire for independent from Kobe at 11 a.m., to-morrow fices, banks and other sutherised might profitably be employed in

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and News Commentary. 10.15 Dance Music. London-"War Correspon-11:15 Close Down.

British Forced Down Over Portugal

LISBON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .- Two British twin-engined planes came down in Portugal to-day. One made n forced landing on the coast close to Lisbon and the other at Foreira In Oporto district. Both planes were burned out but the crews were saved.

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(Sgd.) W. V. TAYLOR, Acting Hon. Secretary. Evacuation Representation Com-

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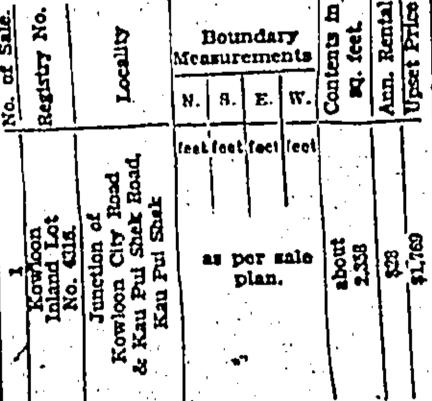
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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the Ist day of September, 1941, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Knu_Pui Shek, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. further term of 75 years.

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Penetrate Deep Into Iran: German Plot Exposed

Special to the "Telegraph"

MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP) .- It was revealed by the Tass Agency to-day that, following the occupation by Soviet forces of the Iranian towns of Tabriz, Ardebil, Lisar and Dilman, the Russian advance continues and is developing in accordance with plans.

A.dispatch from Ifilh states that the Red Army is marching in three columns, which have covered about 180 miles into the south, forming almost a straight line from the Caspian Sea to Dilman on the Iran-Turkish border. Once again, no resistanco la reported.

Big German Plot Moscow newspapers to-day reported that a vast German organisation had already seized control of Iranian industry, commerce and transport, and had been carrying on sabotage and esplonage in preparation for a coup. This same organisation had Russian White Guards and Armenian promised the creation of a "Greater

time and have had that sort of tiff.

promise before. Soviet Advance Continues

the Iranians. feudal nature of Iran society and the to sell it.

exorbitant rents being paid to landlords and also Hitler's influence over Iran Army.

Iranian Cabinet Resigns, Report

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter),-According to an Iranian spokesman in Ankara, the Iranian Cabinet resigned to-day, says Martin Agronsky, the N.B.C. radio commentator.

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-Recent reports from Norway indicate to deposit with an authorised that despite the state of siege existing, acts of sabotage are steadily increasing, according to a Moscow report_to-day.... "The German authorities have

made recourse to mass arrests and concentration camps are full to overflowing," says the report. One of the most important acts of the saboteurs occurred at Trondheim where a "violent explosion was heard. It was a huge dump of German aerial bombs."

Many fires are raging in Norway, says the report, especially in district. where the German Command have built important secret military establishments.

Gen. Norton's District Near Hostilities

The purchaser of the lot will side of Baluchistan on the Iranian orders for delivery and entry to be required to pay to the border are perfectly peaceful was any other country in the Wes-nuctioneer in cash the sum of \$2,000.00 (being 10% of the upset \$2,000.00 (being 10% of

> would be firmly defended. Speaking of the territory under It is recalled that the requirement his command, which extends from forcing a manufacturer to take or-

invulnerable. NAZIS IMPRISON

CUBANS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Aug. 28 (UP).—The which to make defence goods may official news agency states: number of Cubans in the occupled territories have been prisoned for activity inimical to their production so that deliveries the state and threatening Ger- will be made on the dates required; man security."

Huntziger Appointed To Lead Troops NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP)—The cess inventories. B.B.C. to-day stated that British

Radio at Vichy announced that General Huntziger has been appoint-ed Commander-in-Chief of all Viely troops in North Africa. The former Commander, General Odet has been recalled and named

military Commander at Toulouse the loss of 352 feet of one inch chain, Thore was no mention of General valued at £20, from the vessel

Collection

Court Claim Succeeds Abdul Aziz Rumjaha was the Defendant in a \$2,500 damages claim instituted by Mr Mervanji Palonji Talati before His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir . Atholl MacGregor, at the Supreme Court this morning. Plaintiff was represented by the Hon. Mr Leo d'Almada, Jr., instructed by Mr W. A. Mackinlay of Messrs Deacons. Defendant was absent.

House Street; (2) Defendant the return of the coins and he receivis a commission agent and car- ed no reply to that letter. Some promised the creation of a "Greater ries on business at Wang Hing he then said that he was still trying Armenia" at the expense of Russia Publicar Opposite Read Control. Building, Queen's Road, Central; to sell the coins. Thereafter, about LONDON, Aug. 27 (UP).—It is Plaintiff handed to Defendant for the return of the coins but was authoritatively indicated that the and Defendant received an Agent always and Defendant received an Agent always are always and plaintiff handed to Defendant and Defendant received an Agent always are always and always are always are always are always and always are always are always and always are always are always are always are always are always are always and always are always are always and always are al authoritatively indicated that the and Defendant received as Agent for always put off by the same answer advance on Iran will continue until Plaintiff a collection of old coins that Defendant was trying to sell the Germans are being expelled.

(which had been entrusted to Plaintiff and Defendant was trying to sell the Germans are being expelled. In connection with reports that the torms (a) Defendant again Shah had made a pledge for peace terms: (a) Defendant was to en- on June 20; no reply was received by guaranteeing that most of the deavour to sell the same at a price and he placed the matter in the Germans would be expelled within not less than \$2,500; (b) if the cotone week, it was stated, "We have lection were not sold within three cons. He saw Mr H. J. Armstrong been negotiating this matter for some days it was to be returned to Plain-

breach of his duty as agents: (a) back 31 gold and 15 silver coins were without Plaintiff's authority broken back 31 gold and 15 silver coins were without Plaintiff's authority broke MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (Reuter).— without Plaintiff's authority broke up the collection; (b) without Plain-Information about the progress of the Russian troops in Iran is still laconic but the place names mentioned in the collection or part thereof to some but the place names mentioned in the communique leaves no doubt that the communique leaves no doubt that the consession of the collection of the colle progress is rapid and is not meeting gave possession of the collection The Soviet press strongly em- persons any or any adequate security phasises that there is no quarrel with or guarantee for the return thereof, (c) sold part of the collection for a "Pravda" stresses the largely lower price than he was authorised

Deprived of Use

the Fascist officer elements of the Plaintiff on or about June 27 demanded of Defendant the return of dum of it through a dictaphone in It is apparent from the speed of the collection. On or about July 3, the presence of Defendant. the Russian advance into Iran that Defendant returned to Plaintiff part motorised troops are being largely of the collection but refused to de- produced, Mr Armstrong said that liver to him. 31 gold coins and 15 after that he received from the Desilver coins and thereby converted fendant a box with a certain number them to his own use and wrongfully of silver and copper coins. He had deprived Plaintiff of same.

In evidence, Plaintiff stated that in by dictaphone and the second part 1937 a friend of his handed him a was written out by himself. collection of coins with a view to At the end of Mr Armstrong's sale and in 1939 he in turn handed evidence, Mr d'Almada stated that these coins to the Defendant to sell his instructions were that part of the for \$2,500. On January 3, 1939, De- coins handed back was practically fendant gave him a receipt (produc- valueless. ed) for the coins.

coins were valued at \$2,500. Always Put Off Continuing, Plaintiff stated that acknowledged by Defendant in the one of the terms upon which he receipt of January 3. handed those coins to Defendant was | His Lordship gave judgment to attack. that if they were not sold within Plaintiff for \$2,500 and costs, and

The Statement of Claim states | saw Defendant and asked for the and capitalist and organisation had that (1) Plaintiff is a merchant he had a buyer in view. On March also built up an anti-Russian and that (1) Plaintiff is a merchant he had a buyer in view. On March anti-Iranian ring consisting of and carries on business at 18 Jcc 7, he wrote to Defendant asking for anti-Iranian ring.

as a result the Defendant handed (4) Defendant negligently and in over a box which originally contained missing. Criminal proceedings were Dictaphone Records

Mr Armstrong stated that on June 27. Plaintiff called on him in connection with a collection of coins which he had handed to Defendant. received instructions to write Defendant and he did so that day.

On June 29 Desendant called to see (5) Further, or in the alternative, him and there was a fairly long interview and he dictated a memoran-After the memorandum had been

another interview with Defendant on Plaintiff claimed \$2,500 damages. July 8, and part of this was dictated

Mr d'Almada submitted that under At this point, Mr d'Almada pointed the circumstances there could be no out that there was an admission by question that the true value of the Defendant on the receipt that the coins that the Plaintiff had been deprived of by a wrongful act of Defendant was \$2,500 which was

three days they were to be returned. also granted an application for an After the three days were over he order for immediate execution,

Stiffening Production Of Priorities In U.S.A.

Special to the "Telegraph"

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Domei).-Mr Edwards R. Stettinius, Chairman and Director of the Priorities Board, has effected a broad revision of priority rules in a new regulation that American manufacturers must accept orders for war supplies for the United States, Great Britain, Soviet Union, China and certain other countries even though such acceptance may delay or prevent deliveries of civilian goods.

The regulation states that the defence orders include not only the United States Army, Navy and other defence agencies, but those of Britain, Belgium, China, Greece, the Netherlands, QUETTA, Aug. 27 (Reuter),—The Norway, Poland, Russia, Yugodisclosure that conditions on either Slavia but also Government

He expressed satisfaction with the ernment priority or preference arrangements for the protection of rating, he was required to all it India from any aggression and ahead of other orders with lower or endorsed General Sir Archibald no rating. However, he was not Wavell's recent statement that India compelled to accept the order if he did not so choose.

Karachi to the border of the North-|ders was first included in the regulawest Frontier Province and includes tion placing pig iron under priority Baluchistan, General Norton said control, but it is now extended to that the defences were strong and all manufacturers, producers, distributors and dealers in the United

Other Provisions Other major provisions of the re-

vised priority system include, firstly, a method under which persons who are unable to obtain material with receive help from the Priorities Division in getting deliveries; secondly, the requirement that firms holdim- ing defence orders must schedule thirdly, the subjecting of intra-company deliveries deliveries from one branch company to another—to the same restrictions applying to intercompany deliveries, and, fourthly, a prohibition, against accumulating ex-

Mr. Williams, Chief Officer of q British billp in Hongkong, reports

Exchange At A Glance

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U.S. Cross rate in N.Y.

Duff Cooper In Honolulu

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" HONOLULU, Aug. 27 (UP):—Mr A. Duff Cooper arrived here, this morning by Clipper en route to Singapore and said that Britain wants the United States to continue the present war aid and to enter the war

He declined to speculate on the length of the war nor the winner. He made no comment to a question regarding the potential Japanese threat, against Bingapore."

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ACTIVITY ON THREE CHINA FRONTS

CHUNGKING, Aug. 27 (Central News).—Sharp fighting is developing in Cheklang, Klangsu and Anhwel. A crack Chinese column forced an entry into Yuhang north of the Chichtang River and 15 miles west of Hangchow on August 25, killing over 200 Japanese. The following morning they turned to attack the Japanese at Fenghuangshan southwest of Yuhang.

Another Chinese column meanwhile succeeded in breaking into Wukang, about 16 miles north of Yuhang, where they inflicted about 300 casualties upon the Japanese and. captured considerable booty. On the south bank of the Chientans

River Chinese troops made successful attacks in the outskirts of Sisoshan, opposite Hangchow. A concerted drive was also launched by three Chinese columns on Shaohing, wine-producing about 35 miles southeast of Hang-

chow, at midnight on August 25. House Set Afire Peikuanchen, a town about 20 miles west of Shaohing, was the scene of severe fighting on August 25 when the Chinese made a determined attack. The Japanese set fire to rows of houses and retreated to the eastern part of the town where they were encircled and subjected to fur-

ther assaults. A flerce engagement took place simultaneously at Nanmiao, south of Yuyao, as a result of a Chinese

Several Chinese columns started a concerted drive toward Changhing on the west shore of the Taihu Lake. about 60 miles northwest of Hangchow, on the night of August 25.

Under Heavy Bombing A Chinese force broke into Kaothun, an important city on the Klangsu-Anhwei-border,-on-thomorning of August 20, and recaptured the city. Hundreds of Japanese casualties were inflicted. The Japanese withdrew to a point east of the city, where they made a stand, and walted for reinforcements. At noon upon the arrival of reinforcements and a squadron of nine Japanese bombing planes they launched a couter-attack. Over 100 high explosives were dumped on the city by the Japanese planes. But the Chinese held their ground and fought

staunchly. On the south bank of the Yangize River in Anhwel, Chinese troops made an attack at Huanglitsung, a point southeast of Tungliu, at midnight on August 23. While fighting was going on, the Chinese laid mines in their rear. Afterwards, they felgned a retreat and the Japanese who gave pursuit were blasted by the mines.

Japanese Attack SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" HOPEH FRONT, Aug. 28 (Domel). -Closing up the southern side of the cordon stretched against the Communist forces in the Hopeli-Shansi border area, strong Japanese Army forces on August 23 launched a smashing campaign along the southern Hopeh boundary. The most important enemy supply

base in the area, Tanghuchen, 15.

miles southwest of Yihsien, was re-

duced by the Jupanese forces on

August 25, while another Japaneso

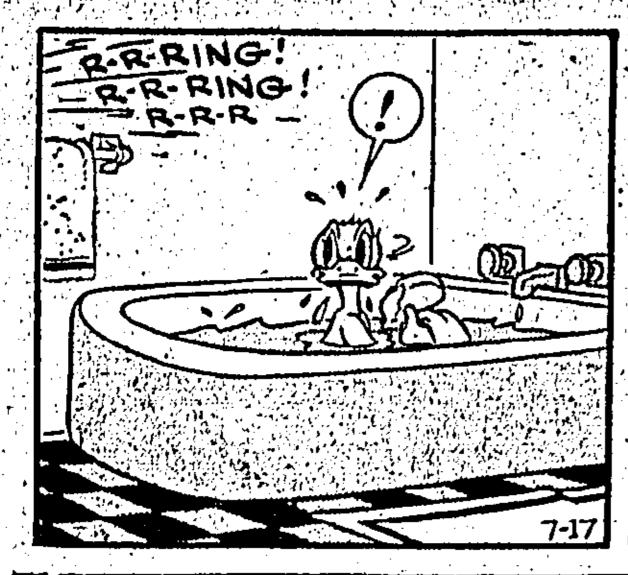
detachment defented Chinese forces retreating near Palpu and Shencheng, 20 miles southwest of Yihslen. Foochow Withdrawal FOOCHOW, Aug. 28 (Reuter) .--Japanese occupation forces are expected to be totally withdrawn within a week. Their ultimate destination is believed to be Indo-China for an offensive against Yunnan Provin-

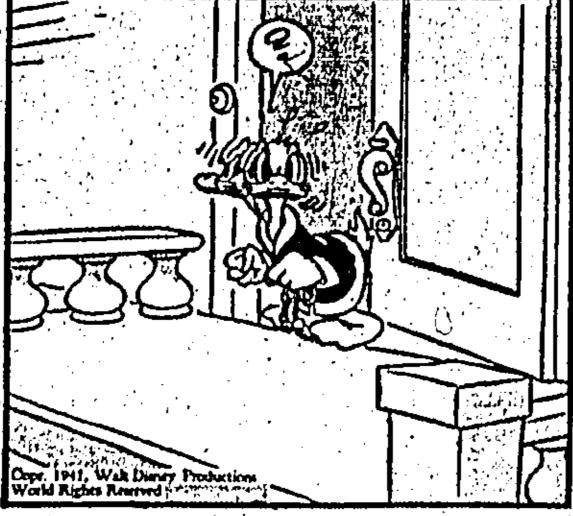
Dominions Approve Atlantic Charter

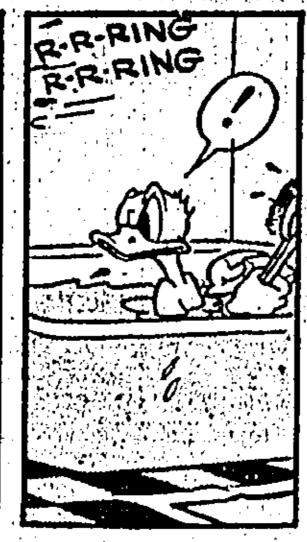
ce, according to reports circulating in

LONDON: Aug. 27 (Reuter).—All Dominion Governments were kept informed of the progress of the talks between President Roosevelt and Mr Winston Churchill which took piace somewhere in the Atlantic and led to the formulation of what is now known as the Atlantic Charter, states "Router's" Lobby Correspondent. Whole-hearted approval has been expressed by all Dominion Governments to the British Government at the terms and aims of the charter

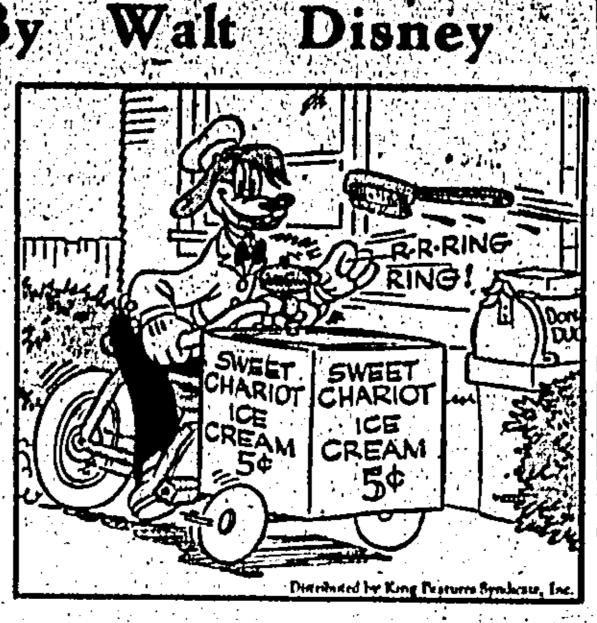
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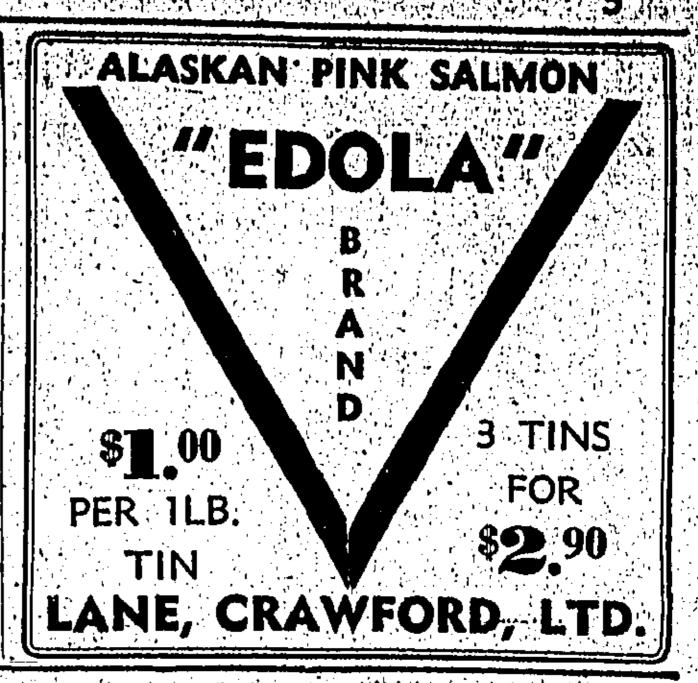












CONTRACT How to Play How to Win BRIDGE By JOSEPHINE CULBERTSON-

Inconsistency

appeared, however, the defence slam. against slams is easier than that against mere game contracts, and was in the fact that quite obviously,

South dealer. Neither side vulnerable. Match-point duplicate.

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	♠ K 7 ♥ K 6 8 ♦ A 9 6 ♣ A J 10 9		•
♠ 1063 ♥ A 984 ♦ K J 752 ♣ 8	w E	07	1954: 1843 162
•	♠ A J 8 ♥ Q J 10 5 ♦ 10 ♣ K 7 4 3 .		

The bidding: West Pass. Pass 3 N T Pass Pass ūΦ Pass 8 0 (1) Pass Pass Pass

As may be observed, South was anything but timid in his bidding. Having opened with a minimum heart bld, he later blithely accepted his partner's slam invitation.

West, after considerable thought, decided to open a low spade. Dummy ducked and East's queen lost to the ace. Declarer led a low heart to the king, West ducked, and a second round was led to the ten. West again held up, but took the third round, then, efter much more squirming and brow-wrinkling (during which time East stared mournfully at his club queen' with the uneasy conviction that she would a four spade contract, with South the

ACROSS

1-Force (Latin)
4-Funeral fires
5-Indian soldier
14-Collection of facts
15-Depart
15-Old woman
17-Companion

18-Consumer 19-Oreek beroine

7—Reminiscences

42-Pancy decoration

44-American patriol

Arrange again
—Pertaining to Spring

12—Uncouth

Dild egral-01

45-Passagaway

47-Wear away

87-Ancient city of

Asia Minor

89—Elder (abbr.). 69—Period of time

75 36 37

61-Mediterranean Bland

43-Austere

40-Prices

49-Crowbar 51-Coward

EADING against a slam is a prelty firmed East's gloomy forebodings by ticklish proposition; hence, with shifting to the singleton club. Derare and obvious exceptions, a player clarer's vital club "guess" turned cannot be blamed if his selection into a certainty, and after drawing goes wrong: Once the dummy has West's last trump he spread his

The inconsistency of West's play there is no excuse for such a play he changed his mind in midstream. as West made in the following deal: Even though he had first round trump control he properly refused to open his singleton club, being afraid (as he explained later) that such a lead would give declarer a free finesse if East held a minor honor in the suit. But, if the singleion club would have been a bad opening lead, what words can be found for the same lead after the dummy appeared? By that time West could see that declarer's opening heart bid and later slam bid had been based on the A-J of spades, the Q-J-10 of hearts, and possibly the queen of diamonds. Surely, it was inconceivable that he could lack the club king.

Of course, declarer might have guessed the position of the club queen if left to his own devices, but poor East would gladly have taken his chances on that!

To-morrow's Hand South dealer.

Both sides vulnerable. ♠ K752 OK542 N VA 1075

1943 VKQ963 ♦ 7 **∓ Q** 6 5 . A A Q 10 8 ◇ A Q 10 6 ♣ 10 8 8 2

How should this hand be played at soon be torn from his grasp), con- declarer? Opening lead heart ace.

3-Kind of meal

-At any time

il—Political (abbr.)

13-Japanese coin 23-Underworld denisen

10-Grann fiber 11-Poor parts of town

13-Vegetable dish

3-Partner tool.

64-Plying monkey

2-3lighest card

64-Prefix: three

3—Tennis stroke

42-Blacing

32-Drawing

69lio1tui3—88

0-Netore

5-Permenting agents

Crossword Puzzle

DOM NEW DEED

EL YNY BY EL YNY BY EL TOLLE

TENAMPOOED NO EFY WRIESTS ELL ACE ORE TERM BUESADE VITAGIL

69-Blates 70-Habit 71-Entry of debt

3-Chinese weights

IJ-Primary color

1-Steam

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RAGE IN HEAVEN

James Hilton

"Lost Horizon"

The Story So Far:

married Stella Bergen, a beautiful rejugee who has been a companion

to his mother. They are happy but the erratic, morbid side of Philip's

nature develops more and more. He secretly kills Stella's pet kitten

because his friend, Ward Andrews, has given it to her. He becomes

obsessed by the notion that she and Ward are in love. As head of a

steel works he antagonizes the men and almost causes a riot. Then, one

day, nearly crazed, he tries to push Ward into a steel furnace. That

night, Ward confronts him with it. They quarrel and Ward leaves to

go to London. Philip has won but at the same time he feels that he has

"Not that I'm expecting burglars," said Philip.

"But you never know. Everybody has some enemies,

Seemingly normal, intelligent and attractive Philip Monrell has

"Goodbye, Mr Chips"

FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEKS the house was as silent as the grave. Philip stayed in his room and ate his meals as if he were a man in solitary confinement. And until the late hours of the morning, he would write in his diary, his pen flying, his lips

One night Stella could bear it no longer. She knocked on his door and when she stepped in, Philip was sitting before the fireplace scanning some letters,

pleasure. Please sit down. I'm just rending your last letter to

before they were sent. "Youyou opened them?"

word of complaint. Nobody can suy you're not a loyal wife."

toward her. "We're so unhappy, aren't we darling?" he asked gently. "All three of us. You, because you love Ward and have to stay with me. Ward, because ne loves you and can't have you. And I, because nobody loves me."

Now his voice softened even eyes were glittering madly. "Then I'll have you all to myself at last." Slowly, his hands went toward her throat. "Don't be frightened darling. It's so easy and you know I wouldn't hurt you-"

THAT NIGHT, when the was high, Philip watched her as she crept out of the house, wearing a coat and carrying a suitcase. So she was gone. He felt all 'twisted inside. She was running to Ward. What he had always feared, had happened.

The next day he telephoned Ward in London and, just as he had expected, Stella was there with him. No, Ward informed him, she was not returning. She going to try to make something else of her life.

asive self. "Oh, I know, she was perfectly right. I deserved it. She can have the divorce whenever she wants. I'd like to talk to you about that as soon as possible. No. Please, not in London. I'd be too near Stella. You know how I feel,"

off to mail some packages, taking care to give Annie and Cook the day off. But before Clark left he made an enigmatic statement about locking all the doors and windows.

Philip laughed, "Not that I'm expecting burglars. But you never know. Everybody has some enc-

he went into the library and tried out his device. He placed a hunting knife between the door that led to the hall and the door post. Then, he advanced to the tip of the blade to see that it touched his heart, Satisfied that the knife was in position he opened the door. The knife dropped to the

Ward-please don't think badly of me. Whatever I've done, whatever I may do, you and Stella are the that he polished the knife with his 4wo people I've loved most in the

> Deeply moved, Ward gripped his hand. Then he turned and left.

THAT NIGHT a high wind __was_blowing_when_Clark_ walked into the library. The French windows were open. A dim light was burning. Then suddenly the old man uttered a cry and started back in horror.

Philip Monrell was lying on the floor dead, a hunting knife embedded in his hearli

The arrest and trial of Philip Monrell's suspected murderer was swift and dramatic. There seemed to be no question of it. Ward Andrews had killed his best friend. Standing there in the courtroom, Stella watched Ward, erect and pale in the prisoner's dock, listening to the evidence against him. His footprints had been found in the garden. His fingerprints were on the knife. Clark, the butler, had heard his master voice his fear against "enemies." And later, there had been the violent quarrel between the two men.

The Solicitor General faced the jury. "Gentlemen, you have only. to ask yourselves one question. Dld Ward Andrews kill Philip Monrell? If the answer to that question is 'Yes', then you are bound to return against the prisoner the verdict of GUILTY OF WILFUL MURDER."

TOR LONG MOMENTS, L Stella saf there with her head burled in her hands. She dared not look up when the jury filed back, when the foreman rose.

"Guilty sir," said the foreman in answer to the Court Clerk's query, and it was like a death-knell in her heart.

Outside, she was given a few tense moments with Ward. "Darling," she begged, "don't give up hope. We're going to fight, this thing. We'll appeal. I've been talking to your counsel. He's sure we've got 'a good chance-if-" She hesitated.

Ward looked at her closely, "If

Her voice was low. "If only you'll plead self-defence."

"I see." His smile was strange. "At last I'm to admit what everybody believes. You believe it too, Stella, don't you?" Her face was "averted," "Don't say maything darling . because, Well, you see, Philip's got us ust where he wanted us."

(To be concluded to-morrow.)



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really lost Stella.

haven't they?"

the bell handle.

easily.

Then he staggered back-

wards a few steps as if measuring

how far a body would fall. After

handkerchief until blade and han-

dle shone. Then he replaced it in

the door crack and tied it to the

bell rope in such a way that it

seemed as if the knife handle were

His next step was to spray the

grass between—the—French—win-

dows of the drawing room and the

garage. The earth was soon soak-

ing wet. It would take footprints

THE WAS QUITE READY

for Ward when the latter

arrived and graciously went out

to meet him, leading him over

the moist garden into the library.

Then he brought out some scotch

and soda. "Oh," he said suddenly,

"Would you mind ringing for some

ice? The bell's right over your

Ward obliged but suddenly Philip

laughed, "How stupid of me.

There's no one at home. I sent

Clark into Chassingford, Never

mind. I suppose we can do with-

Now Philip began to talk gally,

feverishly, about everything under

the sun. His eye was on the clock

But finally Ward cut in brusque-

ly. "I haven't much time, Philip.

Hadn't we better get down to busi-

ness? You said that you'd like to

talk over arrangements for the

There was a sound from outside.

Philip had been waiting for it.

That was Clark returning, Now,

all at once, he raised his voice

angrily. "Ward, I should have

thrown you out of the house long

ago-when you were cheating me

and lying behind my back. Yes, let's drop the pretence. I thought

you were my friend and you stole

my wife. I picked her out of the

gutter, and she threw herself at

the first man she met." He was

"If you don't stop," Ward

shouted back, "I'll brenk your

neck. Leave Stella out of this.

But, all at once, Philip was

calm. "Ward I'm sorry," he said

with the deepest sincerity. He was

satisfied now. Clark must have

heard the noise of the quarrel.

"When I'm upset, I say horrible

things. Yes, I'll give her the di-

vorce. Please go now,"

She's luft you and that's that."

pounding on the desk in rage.

however.

divorce---'

twisted into a peculiar smile.

"Stella. This is an unexpected

She drew in her breath sharply. He had taken them from the post

"Of course. All. And never one

All at once, he rose and came

more: "We must put an end to it, Stella. We two together." His

Her terrified scream cut through ils words. "Nol Nol Don'tl" Sobbing hysterically, she ran from the room.

had suffered too much. She was

But Philip was his most persu-

And so it was arranged-against Stella's better judgment. Ward was to come out to Chassingford late the next day.

WAS QUITE PLEASED with himself. It had been easier than he thought. Now he went ahead with his plans. They were diabolically simple, yet perfect to the last minute detail. He got them under way, no lew hours before Ward was expected.

First he sent Clark, the butler, Clark was rather surprised.

mics, haven't they?" When the servants were all gone

Bewildered, Ward stared at him. "You know Philip old boy, you really; ought, to take a hold of from this house for awhile."

Philip smiled quetly and held out his hand. "I'm going to. And



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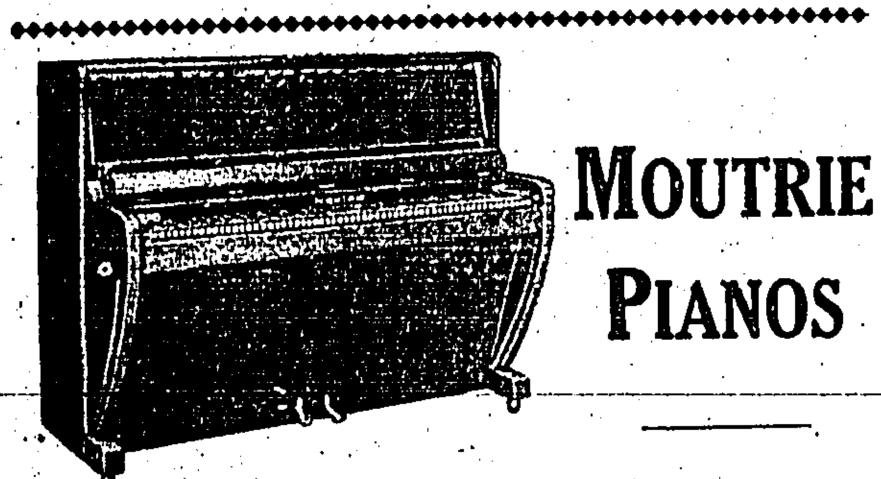
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"Not to my knowledge, Sir. There . "No, Sir. And judging from the was no eveme de menthe to empty."

"Then I must have dreamt it. A vivid dream, Hawking, because their noses all turned

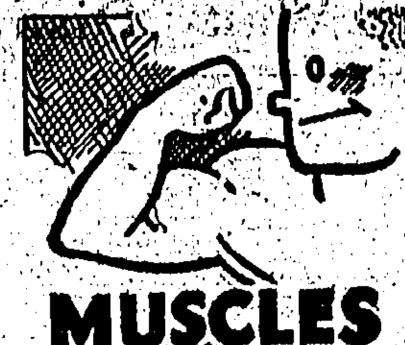
"Undoubtedly a dream, Sir, since I took the precaution of evacuating the bowl to my pantry when Lord Henry began to sing."

"Very wise of you, klawkins. I halibreadth escape."

"No casualties to any of the guests ? **

amount of Rose's consumed, there will be no headaches this morning either. We got through six and a bulf bostles of Rose's Lime .

"Well, it's all in a good cause. And now, get me a really, blg breakfast And give the a d-Ash a double ration of ants' eggs, just to celebrate their



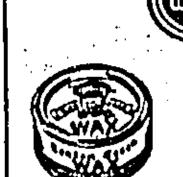
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TIME TO ATTACK?

IT would appear to an amateur student of strategy that the development of the war has opened great possibilities to the Imperial command. At Home we have now a army that must be the best in the world after a summer of strenuous training with the best weapons and with a backbone of veterans of several hard-fought though unsurcessful campaigns in France, Norway and elsewhere. Our production has had relief from continuous bombing and has made great progress. With such forces it is certain that we can hold freedom's most im portant citadel from any invading forces that Hitler can produce within the next twelve months. The question for our command to consider is whether the British Garrison should be kept at home or used to invade the continent.

The number of planes we can afford to send over Germany these days and nights would indicate that we have sufficient to lend, protect and consolidate an invasion force across the Channel especially as the distance is short enough to maintain n constant aerial service. With the Channel blocked at both ends, parachute troops could be dropped fifty miles behind the French coast to tackle the enemy held ports while naval and air protected transports. laid siege from the opposite face. Once paths to the principal portswere laid clear a dozen self-contained armies could cut right across to Switzerland. When the success of a north to south corridor had been determined, the risk of further depleting Britain's garrison could be taken and the thousands of trained men who had been prepared for invasion as well as defence could be released from that zone to free all France of the Nazi troops.

The further question then arises whether to sustain the offensive and press on through the lowlands into consolidate our position. The present tendency is all against permanent defences but we should need: terrifle strength and we must have a powerful dose of the blitz ready in order to crush the enemy in this one great blow. Russia has struck a. great blow at Germany's strength and we certainly shall not give herthe opportunity of recuperating if and when she calls thalt on the eastern front.

timute conciliation and we have laid our plans if this fails. We cannot expect to win all along the line immediately, and we are no idoubt prepared to suffer temporary reverses to achieve our main object. It | will give every Allied subject a thrill to consider how near must be the day when the dortunes of war

Germany's Major Blunder By Victor Gordon Lennox

Diplomatic Correspondent, London "Daily Telegraph"

For twenty-two months the pendulum of war fortunes has swung steadily in favour of aggressor Germany. To-day we see Germany labouring in the toils of her first major miscalculation or blunder. The German armies were to have been in Moscow within eight dayssome say ten.

By now Russian organised resistance was to have crumbled, revolution broken out, a Quisling Government installed in the Kremlin and the scene was to have been set for presentation to Britain—and the world _of the Nazi New Order peace programme. But Hitler is still far from the objectives which his armies were to have taken, while the United States, recovered from the first shock of finding Russia and Britain fighting on the same side, is accelerating its' progression from non-belligerency to para-belligerency. That is precisely what Hitler schemed to anticipate. If he realises that he is in danger of taking we may expect to see the most reckless employment of his available forces in a frenzied endeavour to catch up with the original programme.



Because Russia is opposing a stubborn resistance to the enemy and hitherto has prevented him from gaining his objectives we must not lightly assume that the outcome is foregone conclusion. No such easy optimism is to be found in Moscow.

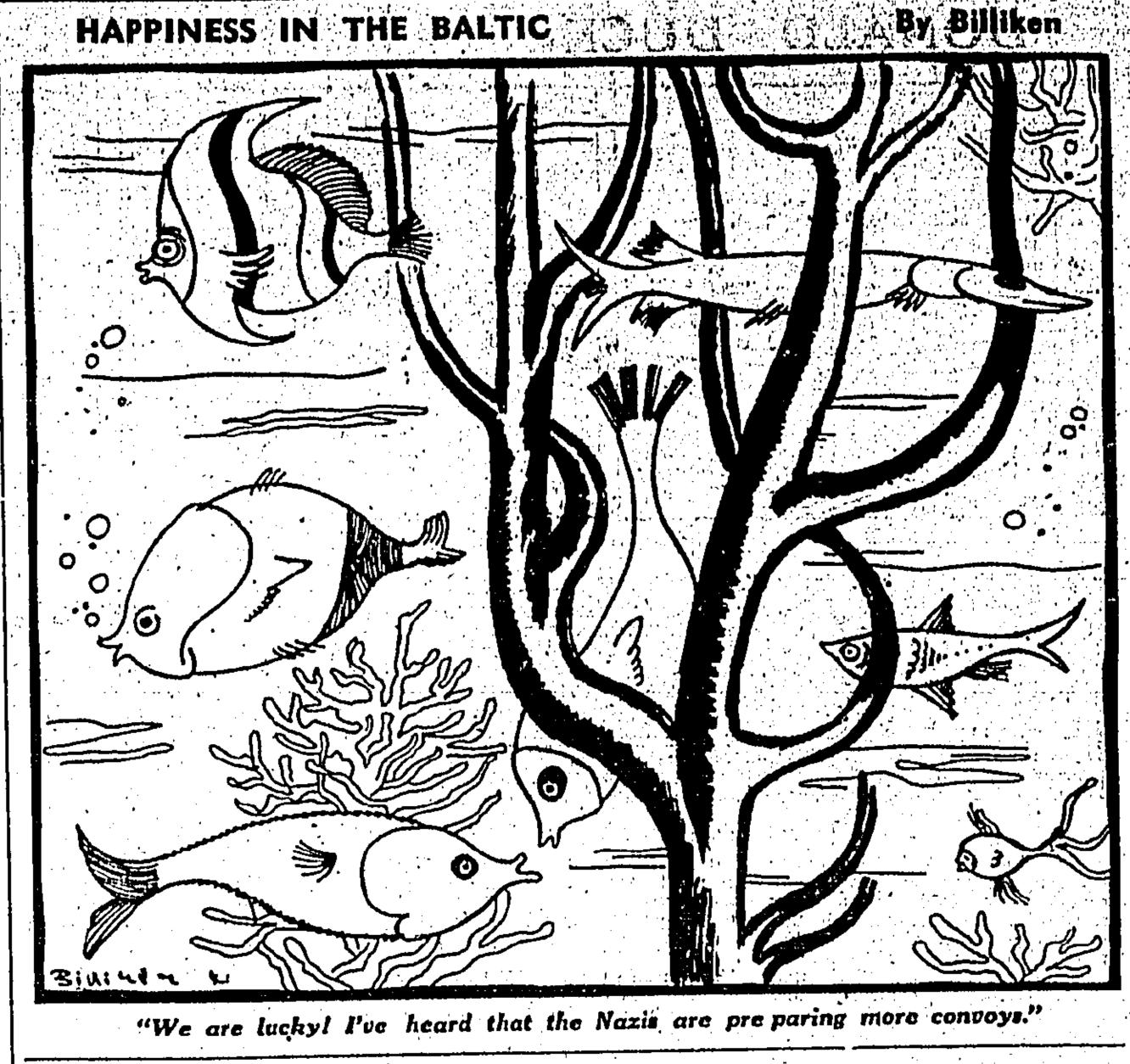
In London we are aware that the Soviet leaders are fully conscious of the great weight of pressure which the German forces can bring to bear on the whole length of this tremendous front. At the present time the most dangerous thrust is that directed against Leningrad. these circumstances it is understandable that the Russian military mission in London is asking for all measures of aid and distraction which Britain can provide. Moscow probably recognises that these must primarily be confined to air operations with possible naval diversions and consolidation of the British positions in theatres not yet wholly satisfactory Such would be the situation Libya incidentally the one area where additional tanks might be employed with advan tage by British forces.



Meantime Britain will be doing everything possible to collaborate with the United States in securing the outer defences of the American Continent. Washington it seems to be wellbelieved that bases for the use of American ships and aircraft are now available in Northern Ireland. They will be of great value to United States ships carrying supplies to Iceland and to American war vessels patrolling the sea lanes along which supplies for Britain can carried.

Roosevelt and his Ministers (Thailand), the important but in the highest interests of the Germany or south into Italy or to wish to establish in the Central abortive economic negotiations British Empire that Russian re-Unfortunately, although Por- ment of the Dutch East Indies, should be successful and, in difficulties are increasing. tugal is Britain's oldest ally, and other activities are all any case, prolonged. For the The political side of the bilizkrieg Dr Salazar, her all-powerful evidence of a Japanese move to sake of public opinion in Russia has folled, firstly because the antici-Premier, has no liking for the the south. The Government in it is necessary that all available paid uprising amongst the neutrals idea of leasing or lending bases Tokyo must decide whether it aid should be given, and a Communism has not materialised, to the United States or per- will attack Russia in the north Japanese attack would have to and secondly because the Russian mitting the Portuguese Atlantic or open up a campaign to the be the signal for British coun-misses show no signs of disunity or islands to pass under American | south. The latter would entail teraction against the new ag-revolt. The statesmen in Tokyo protection. Indeed, the Por- a great expedition for the in- gressor. tuguese Government, still fear- vestment and selge of Singapore. Whichever war Japan decided losing side. ful lest the German military and the territory surrounding upon, she would immediately The peace party in Tokyo will, in machine may one day be launch- it. It is quite certain that lose her scaborne trade outside any case, be strengthened by the In considering this offensive we ed against the Iberian Penin- Japan would have to beat the the northern Pacific. Japanese they Pack The German propagation sula, seems determined to es- British Empire in this vast area commerce with the rest of the had been active in Tokyo, as elsetice of Japan. We have offered legi- tablish itself and its armed before serious headway could be world must pass to the west where all suggesting about the legiforces in those island areas. made against the Dutch East ward either through the Straits Hallin would seek a invourable

approach from Washington and iny doubt that any Japanese through the Torres Straits to Russia to fight it out alone. It is approach from Washington and iny doubt that any Japanese through the Torres Straits to Russia to fight it out alone. It is approach from Washington and iny doubt that any Japanese through the Torres Straits to Russia to fight it out alone, It is approach from Washington and involved that any Japanese through the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and allowing Germany and the Japanese was fiver any such intention in due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and allowing Germany and the first intention in due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and allowing Germany and the first intention in due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and allowing Germany and the first intention in due regard to the repercussions the Dutch East Indies would ever successful the Japanese Loudon, and that the British and allowing Germany and the first intention in the Japanese Loudon and the Japanese Loudon



Japan's Dilemma

The Japanese Government is in the difficult position of being a member of the Axis group aggression with Russin. If the sibly India. Government in Tokyo desired to escape from this dilemma and to remain neutral, it could, no doubt, be argued that Germany situation is that Japan's rehad made the first hostile move sources would not permit her to against Russia and that Japan engage in a first-class campaign U.S.A.

clings to the tradition of ob-Malay archipelago and the serving international law and Dutch Islands. It is known not engaging in unprovoked that the Japanese Mercantile token to concentrate on war to the aggression on the German Marine is barely sufficient for south, that is against the British model. We see evidence of this Japan's present commitments. Empire, inc Japanese Government in the fiction that the Sino- In 1939 the Japanese Merchant intervening on the side of Britain, Japanese conflict is not a war, Navy numbered 2,337 vessels, thus presenting Japan with a war on but an "incident." Neverthe- of 5,629,845 tons. New ships three fronts. It is known that the less, if the Japanese Govern- have been built since the out-Russian military and aerial forces in ment decided that it was in the break of the present war, and a and commanded and self-contained, ultimate interest of the nation number have been lost by Ger-and that there is a large force of to intervene, reasons and ex- man submarine attack and other long-range bombers stationed in the cuses would be forthcoming.

vince has a severe climate and for her present war effort in cold weather countries. This industries. has been shown already in An additional war would place way as farmers. The attractive impossible situation. prizes in the Pacific lie to the south, and here the Dutch East Indies are the great reward.

Here is the oil, rubber and Tokyo decides to attack Russia, other tropical products which it must reckon on the British Japan needs, and a ready-made Empire immediately declaring market for her manufactured war on Japan. This decision At present one does not know | goods. Japanese activity in would be taken both on political

By LORD STRABOLGI

and under obligation to Germany The governments of Britain, out and, in the meantime, all and Italy to help them in the Australia and New Zealand vessels flying the Japanese flag event of another Great Power could never allow the Japanese would be liable to capture, entering the war. Russia is to establish themselves in the Japanese trade to the eastward. now in the war, and this condi- Dutch East Indies, if for no either through the Panama tion might therefore be sup- other reason than that a suc- Canal or round Cape Horn, posed to have been fulfilled by cessful Japanese lodgment in would be at the mercy of the the outbreak of war between this chain of rich islands would. British Navy. Germany and Russia. On the be regarded as a preliminary to I am leaving out of account any other hand Japan has a recent attacks in the future on both of America. The American Governtrenty of neutrality and non- Australia and Burma and pos-

Lack of Resources Another certain factor in the

has not been consulted before- against Russia in . the East simultaneously with a great live on her reserves of petroleum. The Japanese Government still drive to the south against the warlike actions. On balance, it Maritime Province. From there, is doubtful if the Japanese these hombers could attack the Mercantile Marine totals more cities. Russia also has numerous The statesmen in Tokyo have, than 6,000,000 tons. A great notilla of submarines at Vladivostok nevertheless, to remember that part of it is engaged in supply- which could do considerable damage no great economic advantages ing the immense armies on the in the Sea of Japan and which might would follow from a joint Axis mainland of China. The re-interfere with supply ships and victory over Russia. The north- mainder is fully employed in Japanese armies in China. ern half of the island of Sakha- carrying Japanese exports which Japan has a great asset in her lin and the Maritime Province must be sold abroad if the Navy, the third largest in the world. of Siberia, which would be economy of the nation is not to it consists of ten super-dreadnought Japan's share of the spoils, are be crippled and in importing the not particularly valuable. True, petroleum, iron ore, rubber, there are fishing and mining cotton, wool, and other products rights of some value to be ac- in which Japan herself is dequired, but the Maritimo Pro- ficient and which are necessary

Manchukuo, where the Japanese the utmost strain on Japan's manage to live as officials and Mercantile Marine, and two traders but have made no head- additional wars would create an

Now if the Government of

ment has declared that it will no tolerate any alterations in the status que with regard to the Dutch East Indies. Even if the Japanese left the Dutch East Indies alone for the time being the Government in Tokyo could reckon as a certainty on the cutting off of all oil supplies from the

As the Dutch oil supplies would also be cut off Japan would have to

In the event of the decision being

completed and are as powerful as any in-the world. These are supported by two brand-new smaller battleships of the pocket battleship type, six aircraft-carriers, of which two are quite new, eight beavy cruisers, thirty light cruisers, about Japanese settlers do not thrive against China and for her own a hundred good destroyers and fifty to sixty submarines. Nevertheless, the situation of the German and Italian Navies is such that considerable British reinforcements could be sent to the Pacific and there would always be the nightmare of the intervention of the United States of America with an even more powerful Fleet in the highest state of efficiency and preparedness.

Lastly, to add to the difficulties of Japan's decision, is uncertainty about the outcome of the major struggle in Eastern Europe between what further outposts President French Indo-China and Slam and strategical grounds. It is However this develops, the Russians, have succeeded in resisting the greatest blitzkrieg the German High Command has yet undertaken and and Southern Atlantic areas. undertaken with the Govern-sistance to the German armies there is evidence that Germany's

rulnous step of coming in on the

lorces in those island areas. | made against the Dutth Last ward clinet into by the continued continuity for negotiating a sepa-In these directions we may indies. It is absolutely certain beyond by the fortress of Singapore, or Berlin and allowing Germany and

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Libya. — Several targets in Circualca and Tripolitania were attacked on the night of August 25.26. Tripoli harbour and dumps near the town were again henvily bombed. A particularly violent explosion was seen to hurl masses of debris high into the air and was followed by a bright fire and a number of other fires were started near the fort and power station.

U.S. Attitude To

Japanese Protest

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27

Secretary of State, at a press

conference made it plain that the

freedom of the seas policy in

Asked whether the United

As regards the possibility of Japan

making representations to the United

point at present to the Foreign Office

Nomura Secs Hull

The Japanese Ambassador, Admiral

Nomura conferred with Mr Cordel

Meanwhile reliable sources indi

mentarily expected to join Russia in

irmly rejecting the Japanese protest

When Admiral Nomura arrived at

asserted that he still hoped for peace

finally, adding "this as well as other

No Formal Protest

Guarantee Wanted

Although reminded that shipments

against the Nazis rather—than against

Japan, officials here have retoried:

Representations are said to have

Tankers

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-

The Board will co-ordinate their

allocation and utilisation.

exports to Japen, it is learned in obedience but never love."

problems will be settled."

authoritative quariers.

"Who can guarantee that?

been made several days ugo,

Questioned whether

tate Department to confer will

War materials to Russia

Hull, Secretary of State, for

minutes to-day after which he

clined to reveal the subjects

cussed, although he admited

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (UP) .-

it was in effect.

m Tokyo.

At Benghazi several bombs SUPPLIES were dropped on railway sidings and an enemy encampment. The same night, nircraft of the Fleet MUST GO Bardin and obtained direct hits TO RUSSIA on ships and started fires among on ships and started fires among petrol dumps.

Bombers of the South African Air Force bombed and heavily damaged concentration of enemy mechanical transport vehicles near Resuenna yesterday.

Mediterranean.—Medium bombers of the R.A.F. attacked enemy ships (Reuter).-Mr Cordell Hull, the Central Mediterranean yesterday. Direct hits of heavy bombs obtained on one vessel and another ship was hit and left sinking. United States adhered to the Malta Defended

A number of Macchi 200s which connection with the shipment approached Malia yesterday evening were engaged by R.A.F. fighters and chased back to Sicily, where three of through the Pacific. them were shot down, one falling in a village. Several other enemy fighters were dom of the seas in carrying out

badly damuged... Cyprus.-R.A.F. figliters intercepted and shot down one Savoia-69 of objections, Mr · Cordell Hull Famalusta yesterday. Abyasinia.—Enemy positions at revoked, it could be assumed that

Wolchefit and Gondar were bombed and machine-gunned yesterday by aircraft of the R.A.F. and S.A.A.F. From all these operations three of our aircraft are missing.

POPULATION OF INDIA

Substantially Below 400,000,000

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter) .- Japanese resentment might exist on The preliminary census returns account of Russia's ability to obtain materials here which Japan has been India's populations taken unable to acquire. early this year disclose increase of 46,000,000 over the cated that the United States is mofigure for 1931 and possibly an actual increase of approximately egainst the shipment of American 60,000,000.

Vladivostok. Although generally it is unofficially assumed that India's population numbers 400,000,000, the census Mr Hull he said that he had brought reveals 389,000,000. The 1931 census no formal diplomatic representations gave 353,000,000 but this included from Tokyo. Questioned regarding the Russian trade matter, Admiral Hurma with about 14,500,000. Nomura was non-committal but

U.S. Army Units At Exercise

TACOMA, Washington, Aug. "I leave that to your judgment." (Reuter).—United States Army units participating in the Pacific northwest manocuvres are "far ahead" of any divisions sent to France in the ed knowledge of any formal Japanese last war declared Mr Henry L. Stimson, Secretary for War, at a Press conference to-day.

Mr Stimson was an artiflery colonel in France during the last quiries. war.-Both-ho: and General_George Marshall the United States Chief of Staff, expressed approval of the military training which the troops in the far west are receiving.

General Marshall declared that the army could not be caught unprepared | nesition in relation to the Axis | expand again. "Sites are being selected and preliminary surveys are being made for 20 more contonments. If the need arises, we will be in a position to start building immediately."

Nazi Plane Crashes In Eire American

Damaged By RAF LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wire-

less) .- A JU-80, which crashed in Eire yesterday, is an example of what must frequently happen to raiders over this country which are only claimed as "damaged."

Two fighter pilots intercepted a The operation of all American JU-88 in St George's Channel late tankers has been brought under govyesterday afternoon and attacked at erament direction through the operaonce. On their return to their tion of the Tanker Control Board, it station, they reported, it as only was announced to-day. damaged.

Later news came that the plane | An official stated that there is no had crashed in Eire. A comparison intention to commandeer tankers but of the times and other details leave the Board would pool the ships and little doubt that it was the same direct operations with a view to ensuring greater efficiency. pircraft.

Enemy Strongholds In Leningrad Proudly Conscious Mid. East Battered Of What The World Expects

(By "Reuters" Special Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Aug. 27.—People who have arrived here from Leningrad have described the city's tense and heroic atmosphere. Every house is like a fortress. Throughout the day and night, fire-watchers are on every roof. Factories are working at a greater tempo than ever before.

Women have in many cases replaced men gone to the front and the city is working with the slogan, "All for the front, All for Victory." The appearance of the streets has changed. Shop-windows are sand-bagged and boarded up.

Anti-Nazism In France Hardening

Sabotage Continues

ZURICH, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—"The situation in Occupied France has grown dramatically neute in the last few weeks," says the Basic newspaper "National Zeitung."

"Anti-German demonstrations are war supplies to Russia called anti-Communist demonstra-States would insist on the freeand railways, the murder of a Ger-man officer, the mass arrests of Leningraders' innate pride. the shipments despite Japanese thousands of alleged Communists, the establishment of special tribunals replied that until that policy is occur—the mere enumeration of honour. these incidents provides speaking States concerning shipments to has been reached.

Vladivostok, Mr Hull said that he would leave any statement on this politics."

Communist Activity of war with Russia, the article con-present whereabouts. tinues: "The Communists used the war period in the first year after the armistice to build up a well-camouflaged illegal organisation nucleus of which has not been reached by any police action." The writer methods" of the Germans.

The paper comments that the mass one to believe that Paris is attempt-Stuelpnagel, Commander-in-Chief epics. of the army in France which put as Communism, the paper says; it is an old trick to call any opposition distances to smash Leningrad's de-France practically all supporters of fence. Japanese the national resistance idea, those not yet reconciled to defeat and those security would be threatened by the

ship jents to Vladivostok, he replied, Power, are regarded as Communists. German drive which started over Threat Against Hostages WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). -Official circles here have disclaimto the "highly interesting sentence" central sectors. representations. Official quarters indicate that if there have been any in a German public notice which The Germans have certainly not from these sources is being paid to discussions of this nature, they arose tween the German and the French Dnieper and they are stuck there. only from informal Japanese in-TOKYO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-The also those placed at the Germans' the Germans hoped to have penetrat-Japanese Government's "protest" disposal by other official sources.... (according to a Japanese report) is This can only mean that prisoners in Basin has been effectively snapped off more in the nature of representation the hands of the French police are by the Bussians by what appears to and asks for consideration of Japan's and will be shot if sabotage con-joffensive in the Gomel area. if it was suddenly called upon to alliance, the Soviet Neutrality Pact tinues. But the most that can be ob-

> No Friendly Relations "The Germans have little hope left to Russia are clearly intended for use between the two peoples. Readiness to collaborate with Germany restricted to a small upper class but is rejected by the people. Germany is certainty strong enough to repress France, however muttering and hostile, just as it can deal with parallel phenomena in Norway. Holland and Serbia. But the hopes held in a few German circles that the French might be made allies appear hardly capable of fulfilment at a time when the shooting of hostages is threatened."

Communists Blamed VICHY, Aug. 27 (UP) .- Conte de Brinon as the Government's Paris delegate has announced that policy have exposed details of Communist plot to create troubles told. between the civil population and the German occupation forces, including a series of planned assassinations. They blamed the former Communist

Conte de Brinon stated, "Seven against the railways in addition to the Canadian officer was in charge the murder of a German officer dur- of two anti-aircraft guns. H.K. People Were Aboard The ng three terrorist demonstrations in After some success they put in at Faris. All these incidents were of a West African port where British Communist origin and will be Colonial officials welcomed the first punished with maximum penalties." Canadians they had seen there and railway wrecks by sabotage in the soldiers. Paris region occurred before the Eventually another destroyer came Chaumberg reprisal threat. In each to the port and in this they solled cuse boits, were removed from the to another port where they folned ralls, and several cars were derailed a ship in a convoy. The convoy was halting trame until it could be to attacked by German submarines but

was leaving his cabin. Mrs Starling, stood to have been subsequently will be described down a ladder to hold a boat laided in German-occupied territory and inspected its munitions section available for the execution of the laided in German-occupied territory and inspected its munitions section available for the execution of the laided in German-occupied territory and inspected its munitions section available for the execution of the execution o

Troops with bands playing march to the front. Red Cross nurses wearing blue overalls are N.E.I. Native seen everywhere. The city will clearly be defended by the most modern methods. Anti-aircraft batteries in and around Leningrad are as active and wellequipped as Moscow's and the Germans have already suffered enormous losses—101 planes in

the last two days. continues but slowly owing to the early as September 25. violent resistance put up for every tions by the occupying authorities inspired by Leningrad's determinational already operating in Java.

There have the property of subotage against traffic tion to defend itself to the last and The N.E.I. Government has been acts of sabotage against traffic accept the German challenge with

Personal Honour shoot hostages should fresh sabotage every man a question of personal pulsory civil defence work.

evidence of the state of tension that maintain communications and sup- United States took first place in explies with Moscow and Vologda from ports to the Netherlands East Indies "It has become the central pro- the east. Indications are that the in 1940, according to the Chairman blem of French internal politics but Germans are for the present moving of the Council of the British Chamber It has its roots above all in external up along the difficult and compara- of Commerce for the N.E.I. to-day. tively inaccessible country between Novgorod and Leningrad and not land took third and Britain went venturing too close to the Moscow- from fifth to fourth place. Commenting on increased Com- Leningrad Railway with the Moscow munist netivity due to the outbreak base still comparatively close to their place, shipping goods to the value of

> They may not attempt to cut the railway until they are very much nearer to Leningrad. Rainy Weather

For moving heavy equipment, conascribes this to the inefficiency of ditions are becoming extremely un-French police measures compared favourable for the Germans, especiwith the "refined individualised ally if the rainy weather continues and increases the precariousness of the long lines of communication.

Both on account of the number of 50 items. Germanophobia on the same footing men and equipment in Leningrad, it

Russian Hopes

LENINGRAD, Aug. 27 (Reuter),-Adding that this applies in the that it will take time before another to the Bomber Fund. widest sense to the threat to shoot is ready—and time works against the

illustrates the close collaboration be- succeeded in crossing the lower the Bomber Fund. authorities. The notice mentions . What is equally important is that "Not only prisoners in the hands of the arm of the anti-Ukraine pincer the German military authorities but movement from Gomel, with which ed Briansk, Kharkov and the Don regarded by the Germans as hostages be the war's most effective counter-1

The capture of Dniepropetrovsk is and the United States restrictions of tained by this means is fear and not confirmed by the Russians. Failure of the drive against Kiev is manifest—the Germans got an enormous licking again there a , few days ngo-and the defence of Odessa; of creating really friendly relations the Black Sea's "super Tobruk," continues effectively and promises be a constant thorn in the side of the occupiers of the Western Ukraine.

ADVENTURES OF **SOLDIERS WITH** ROYAL NAVY

LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wireless).—An adventurous voyage to England from Gibraltar by two

After some days at sea their ship important trade partner. the Bismarck and Lieut Ames spent making great efforts to further their 36 hours on the bridge following the trade with Turkey and by economic lenders for all subotage and recent operation from start to finish. Then penetration to influence that country instead of going on to England, the as they did the Balkans but in this warship started on a hunt for Ger- case they have falled. acts of sabotage have been committed man supply ships, during which hunt

It is learned that three more minor Ross made friends with Free French

after a heated battle, warships drove them off without British losses. The ship eventually landed them back at Gibraltar from which they had

Conscripts In Arms In Sept.

BATAVIA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—It is officially unnounced to-day that necessary steps for putting into effect the law for native conscription re-The general outlook has unquest Convention have been carried out so the German advance on Leningrad conscripts will be called to arms as

Home Guards will be organised in Sumatra, according to a scheme The N.E.I. Government have more-

over adopted preliminary measures whereby all persons "of no nationality" between the ages of 16 and The eyes of the whole Soviet Union 60 residing in the N.E.I. or employed by the French Government, German are fixed on Leningrad and the on N.E.I. ships or ships belonging military commanders' threats to town's defence becomes somehow for to the N.E.I. will be liable to com-Exports Last Year

Leilingrad's biggest problem is to LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—The Japan retained second place: Hol-

Germany fell from fourth to eighth some 9,000,000 guilders.

Raffle Prizes Unclaimed Will Be Auctioned

At a meeting of The Hongkong nature of the arrests in Parls tempt Moscow that Marshal Voroshilov's night, a report was received from ing to give the Germans proof of proud prophecy that Leningrad will Messrs Linstend & Dayls, supervisors their energy rather than to follow never fall into Fascist hands is not of the Monster Raffle held early in any definite purpose. Referring to a vain boast but may be the prelude April, 1941, giving a list of the until appeal by General von to one of this war's most glorious claimed prizes. These amount to approximately \$0,000 in value, covering

The majority of the prizes, which include silverware, wines and spirits, open orders on local firms to the value of \$100 each, watches, jewellery etc., are now in the possession of the committee, and it was decided at lost night's meeting that as suitable who oppose any form of the victor The impression is given that the big opportunities occur, the prizes will be offered for sale by auction at various fortnight ago is exhausting itself and public functions, the proceeds to go

Six firms have sent cheques to the hostages, the paper draws attention Germans, especially in the north and committee in dieu of the prizes donated, and the sum of \$554 received

New Zealand Mechanisation

WELLINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). ...The Defence Minister, Mr. Jones. announced to-day the proposed formation of a New Zealand Army tank brigade for overseas and the establishment of an armoured vehicles fighting school. Experienced personnel returning from oversens and officers are being

lent by the British War Office to act as instructors. The training of the Brigade, starting soon, will be continued in an advanced form when the Brigade joins the Expeditionary Force. Three of the officers will be officers

TURKO-GERMAN TRADE BESTED

of the Royal Armoured Corps.

LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wire-Royal Canadian engineers, Lieuten-less) .- The latest authoritative inthe ant Ames and Sapper Ross, who left formation about Anglo-Turkish trade Gibraltar in a warship, has just been indicates that Britain has definitely replaced Germany as Turkey's most was ordered to join the chase for The Germans have, of course, been

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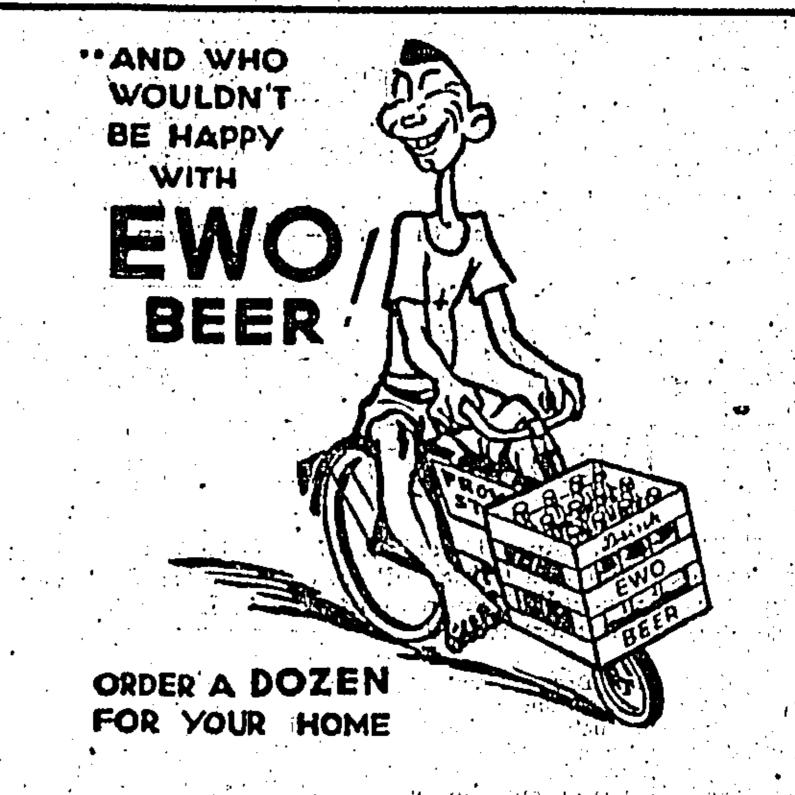


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CORDON'S ILLID.

News has just reached the Colony that among the passengers of the liner, Zamzam, which was shelled and sunk by a Nazi ralder in the South Atlantic in April, were two former residents of Hongkong, Dr Robert Starling, formerly of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., and his wife. Dr Starling, who was in Just as she reached the bottom of

charge of the Electric Company's the ladder, however, the best pulled attricted off five weeks before. Shortly after, the Canadlans bounded the ship which brought back the British Embassy atoff from Yugo-later to Chicago to take a course it chiropractic; it is believed that have on board the German have on his way to South board the German and Royal Air Force officials.

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Craigengower

"WICK'S" BOWLS NOTES Nearly Beaten On Home Ground



Nip Lum, sliding home, just manages to make the plate. Tony Mascavage has the ball .- Ming Yuen.

Louis Will Join Army If Nova Beats Him

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 (UP).—Promoter Mike Jacobs today revealed that Joe Louis will join the United States Army
if he loses his world's heavyweight title to Lou Nova in their
return bout on September 19.

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120 yards medley relay—Eastern, Ching Wing). Time 1 min. 8.4 secs.

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The singles champion of the Solvern who ships opponents far too consistent and had an uphill fight all the way.

C. Roza-Pereira who skipped a conce between victory and defeat

He said that the "Brown Bomber" would engage in recruiting work or act as boxing instructor if he joins Major Baseball . the Army.

The negro fighter, Jacobs added, would take a chance on obtaining a furlough which would permit him to attempt to regain the title next June. This return match was specifled in the contract Nova signed.

LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT **CROWN WON BY** GUS LESNEVICH

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP). -Gus Lesnevich secured a close decisjon over Tami Mauriello

The decision was not unanimous; the two judges voted for Lesnevich Chicago and the referee, Eddie Joseph, for Mauriello.

Mike Jacobs, promoter, announced that a return match would be held.

Soccer Lecture To-day

The fourth lecture of the series on Soccer, Laws, dealing with Law No. 11, the Offside, will be delivered by Staff Sergeant W. H. Foster, Army Representative of the Hongkong Football Referees' Association, to-day at 7 (penalty): Middlesex, Dinden (2). p.m. at Scandal Point Hall. As this is a very complicated law requiring plenty of explanations in order to be understood, it is hoped that all candidates will make it a point to R.A. 4-0. (Rutter 2, Lt Thompson be present.

Pirates Overwhelm Phillies 12-2

NEW YORK, Aug. 27 (UP)-Pittsburgh Pirates overwhelmed Philadelphia Phillies 12-2 to-day in one of the two day games played in the National League. The Giants-Cardinals and Reds-Dodgers games are nighters. Scores were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

last night, winning the world's Battery—Lanning, Lopez; Baker.

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> Battery Passenu; McCullough. Boston 6 13 Battery.-Salvo, Berres.

Water-Polo League

Further water-polo matches in the European Y.M.C.A. Invitation Tournament were played at the "Y" pool last

(penalty); Middlesex, Dinden (2). Signals beat Middlesex "B" (Allen 2, Dignan 2). Royal Navy "B" bent 965th Battery

U. M. Omar Scores 13 On Two Heads To Avert Indians' Threat

THE GOOD FIGHT put up by the Indians in the First Division against Craigengower C.C. at Happy Valley; the even game between Kowloon Tong and Kowloon F.C., the two leading teams in the Second Division; and the victory of Police R.C. over Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the Third Division were the highlights of last week's League programme.

Swimming

Thursday.

THREAT TO COLONY SPRINT TITLE

Tsui Hang Equals Record

Colony record.

This was the only outstanding time of the evening, and on the whole, Eastern beat Ching Wing by 15 points

Results were:
Members 100 yards free-style.—Tam Sikman, Wong Ka-po, Mak Wal-hung. Time

100 yards back-stroke.—Young Yiu-kwan (Ching Wing), Wong Shau-shan (Eastern), Kwok Chun-hang (Eastern), Time 1 min. 220 yards free-style.—Tai Yuk-mong (Eastern), Yu Sik-kwan (Ching Wing), Fung Wal-cheong (Ching Wing). Time 2 mins 52 secs.
Niembers 50 yards back-stroke.—Mak
Wal-hung. Time 40 secs.

V.R.C. Heats

HEATS for the V.R.C. Members' Gala on. Wednesday next were held

Golf

U.S. Amateur Reaches Match Play Stages

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 27 (Reuter).-Play became much more three down to Omar. difficult in the American Amateur Golf Championship to-day owing to a high wind and, though Stewart Alexander increased his first-round score by 10 strokes for an aggregate of 144, he led the field of 64 match play qualiflers by a stroke from John Burke.

does not really matter as the championship will now be continued by

Vines, famous tennis player, continued actually leading by one shot when matches in hand. The position, to show he is a golfer, commanding the last end was played. therefore, is still very open. respect by finishing high with an aggre-gate of 150. Charles Yates, now an army private, who won the British with 154, easily qualifying.

Avoiding Relegation

rinks but tied on aggregate and had to be satisfied with taking three points to Kowloon Tong's two. And the Police, who are challenging K.B.G.C. for supremacy in the Third Division, managed to win on aggregate as the result of J. C. Aitken's 16-shot victory over Hughie Nish.

tablished himself as a threat to the Colony sprint title last night at a their own green, were overfirst shot, which was only an inch in friendly gala between Eastern and whelmed by Recreio "A" and Ching Wing, covering the 50 yards in 24.8 sees and equalling the Kowloon B.G.C. "B" were washed out by Kowloon C.C. at Cox's

> These two teams are in the danger zone, with Recreto "B" not | There was a chance of the Indians, of these three sides will be rele- could trail the jack two feet.

This was the given his link victory by some solutions one shot—but he quite rightly went one shot—but he quite rightly went for the first time in many weeks, one shot—but he quite rightly went M. N. Rakusen's rink failed to give for the bigger count. He failed and the Civil Servants a point. They had won their previous seven mathematical was the stiffest opposition ches, but came a cropper against. This was the stiffest opposition the country by the country by the first time in many weeks, one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed and have given his link victory by one shot—but he quite rightly went for the bigger count. He failed to give he failed and he failed to give he f ches, but came a cropper against | This was the stiffest opposition

> rink for the first time the week before against the Indians, had charge of the same rink against the Civil KOWLOON C.C., on their own beating J. F. McGowan's four seven shots.

ns follows:

Boy's 100 yards free-style: 1st Heat: 1, If. Ribeiro; 2, I. Erickson. Heat 2: 1, J. Craigengower C.C., who up to Gomes: 2, J. Anderson; 3, J. Rora. last Saturday had not dropped shots. Percira.

Members' 50 yards free-style (handicap):
1st heat: 1. L. Vicira; 2. F. Vicira; 3. R.
Sequeira. Heat 2: 1. N. Broadbridge; 2.
F. M. Britto; 3. F. A. Noronha.

Ladies' 50 yards free-style "B" class:
Heat 1: 1. M. Noronha; 2. Y. Yolle. Heat
1: 1. M. Noronha; 2. Y. Yolle. Heat
2: 1. T. Yvanovich, 2. C. Yolle; 3. V. Rull.
Hoys' 100 yards breast-stroke: 1. W.
Ribelro; 2. J. Roza-Percira; 3. J. Gomes.

Ribelro; 2. J. Roza-Percira; 3. J. Gomes.

to share the points on the rink re-

The home players must have had a shock when, at tea time, they found themselves nine shots

A. K. Minu, who started offlosing a four and three to B. W. 17-10 at the interval; M. R. Abbas, who began badly by conceding three two's to C. S. Rosselet, was ahead by five shots; and A. R. Dallah was

Shortly after the resumption, the Indians went further ahead. Dallah had crept up to within one shot of Omar, but then he lost a six and a seven in two headsout of the Indians.

But the game was not over, de-Johnny Goodman, title-holder, was spite the fact that Omar finished up equal tenth with 152, but the scoring 14 shots to the good. The Indians margin of 16 shots—which easily still had a chance of pulling off the one. But Bradbury's rink did well Marvin Wate and Johnny Goodman, on the last three or four heads to are nine and a half points ahead of each 148, followed. Burke. Elisworth wipe off Minu's lead and were the Police, who, however, have three

was the last of the day-Abbas against Hongkong Electric, but they Championship a few years ago, finished meanwhile had finished 11 shots up have left their spurt till too late as: against Rosselet-and the Indians they have already lost four matches.

TSUI HANG, who attained pro-First Division, neither Civil Ser- to win.
When the skips went down to roll minence at the Combined Gaia a vice C.C. nor Kowloon B.G.C. the Indians were lying four—thanks few weeks back by heating David vice C.C. nor Kowloon Hutchinson in the 100 yards, cs- "B" managed to take a single to a brilliant drive by A. H. Rum-

> Bradbury, however, in his first front woods for second. Minu then drew second shot, only to see

for the two teams.

Servants and proved his worth by green, went a long way to-Jackle Noronha, who has been of relegation by defeating Kow-

playing very well of late, piloted loon B.G.C. "B" on all rinks.

Recrelo's third rink, which beat Except for the game between W. R. Hillyer's rink by nine shots.

The latter, who returned from K.C.C. rinks won fairly comfortably, leave recently, showed good form, Tommy Madar beating H. L. Lockbut found himself against very stiff hart by 22-11 and N. J. Bebbington opposition. first time) by nine.

Fincher and Sykes had a good at the V.R.C. last night and resulted DUT for U. M. Omar's 14-shot match, both skips being given good

> TN the Second Division, J, L. L Siephens' rink of N. A. E. Mackay, T. K. Lim and J. N. Wong nearly gave Kowloon Tong victory over Kowloon F.C. despite the fact that the other two Kowloon Tong rinks were down.

Stephens and his men struck their best form to beat E. Kern's rink by 12 shots, but A. J. Kew lost to W. V. Field by six shots and Spary was beaten by P. Younghusband by the

They are now six points ahead of Bradbury in the first two heads, led their rivals and seem to be in a very good position indeed for the cham-

IN the Third Division, teams most interested in the shield-Kowloon B.G.C. and Police -clashed at Austin Road, and though the former were up on two rinks they could not take the major share of the points owing to the which rather knocked the wind brilliance of J. C. Aitken and his rink of J. Hayward, J. S. Riddell and F. Nolan, who defeated J. A. Fraser, Sir Atholi MacGregor, E. V. Searle and H. Nish by the match winning game and winning by four points to Carey and the four by J. MacDonald.

The Kowloon Football Club actually won on two

Of the bottom teams in the then required four to tie and five

attempt, bumped up one of his Bradbury push it through.

far off. It is very likely that one then lying one, scoring a five if Minu gated to the Second Division next | On the other hand, he could have tried to draw second shot-which would have given his rink victory by

wards getting out of the danger

same margin.

The Footballers thus took three points against Kowloon Tong's two.

At the moment, Kowloon B.G.C.

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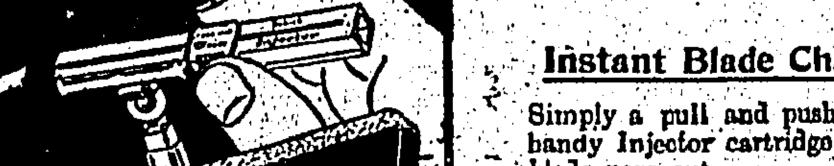
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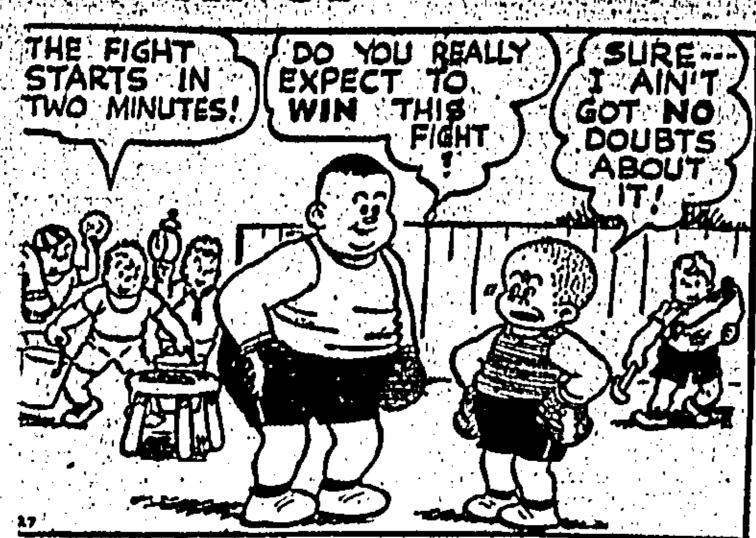
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MPERIAL

(By "Reuter's" Political Correspondent)

LONDON, Aug. 27.—There has been much discussion in political circles on the question of Dominion participation in the direction of the war. Point has been lent to this discussion by the recent proceedings in Australia.

In regard to the question of an | Cabinet, but already criticism is be-Imperial War Cabinet, it is felt ing made in the country that the War that admirable though such a Cabinet is too large as at present that admirable though such a suggestion is in theory, it presents enormous difficulties in the part played by General Smuts in practice.

Reference is continually made to the Imperial War Cabinet in the last war but in fact that Cabinet only met three times, once in 1917 and twice in 1018. It was in fact a gathering of Dominion Prime Ministers.

There have been attempts during this war to arrange for similar meetings of Dominion Prime Ministers, but up to the present it has not been found possible to get them all in this country at the same time.

Full Communication

It must be remembered too that there is very full inter-communication between the various Dominion Governments and this country. Moreover the Dominions Secretary attends every meeting of the War Cabinet and there is a meeting every day between the Dominions Secretary and the High Commissioners who are given a very full account of what is going on. There is also a stream of telegrams between Britain and various British High Commissioners in the Dominions and from them to Britain.

Another suggestion which has been discussed is that visiting Prime Ministers should also be members of the War Cabinet. Although there are certain technical difficulties in this proposal, as in the case of a United Kingdom War Cabinet, in attends the War Cabinet and takes Lenemy opened up artillery fire. part in all discussions except those of a purely domestic nature, and the fact that he is a Dominion Prime Minister gives him special authority on his

Dominion Ministers

that there should be Dominion machine-guns. Ministers attending the War Cabinet, but a point is made of what powers ernments.

Government but that would not be alreraft was shot down while taking the position of any other Minister off at Ahwaz and another was attackwho would presumably have to re- ed on the ground. fer back for approval of any im- Our bombers again dropped pamportant matter that might arise with phiets on Ispahan, Giraz, and Kasbin. all the consequences of delay, and Another force successfully bombed also the fact that to a considerable gun positions and troops concentraextent he would be duplicating the tions holding Pytak Pass. present function of a High Commissioner.

represent other Dominions would not be acceptable to the other. Dominions. Each Dominion has its own point of view on the various problems that arise and it can and does express 1t.

War Cabinet Too Large This difficulty might be solved by Some 1,200 Italian prisoners, all the Dominions to attend the War officers, have arrived here.

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constituted.

There has been some discussion on the last war, but he dld not represent either the dominions or South Africa He was invited by Mr Lloyd George on account of his qualities as a soldier and statesman and it was in his own individual capacity that he acted in the War Cabinet. That situation would not apply to people who came to this country as representatives of the Dominions. Australia's Interest

Australia is the only Dominion that is showing any interest in this matter at the moment. The aim of the Government over here is to secure the fullest possible collabora-

tion with the Dominions. Apart from a meeting of Dominion Prime Ministers, which it is still hoped will be held when circumstances permit, there is no idea at present of summoning an Imperial conference. Such a conference, however, would be held when it was felt necessary to deal with the many problems coming up for settlement at the end of the war.

MIDDLE EAST COMMUNIQUE

CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—A
British Middle East communique issued from G.H.Q. to-day states: Libya.—In the frontier area, as the practice any visiting Prime Minister result of activity of our patrols, the In the Tobruk area, there is no

Italian East Africa—In the Worskefit area, a small detachment, cooperating with Ethiopian patrols, successfully attacked an enemy fort, A proposal has also been made capturing seven Italians and several

R.A.F. In Action CAIRO, Aug. 27 (Reuter).-In they should be given by their Gov- Iran yesterday R.A.F. fighters continued to provide protection for our A Prime Minister can bind his forward troops. One Hawker-type

Further reports show that during the operations by our fighters on It is quite certain that the proposal | August 25, four Iranian alreraft, not that one Dominion Minister should three as stated in yesterday's communique, were destroyed.

In bombing attacks on Ahwaz acrodrome, direct hits were obtained on a hangar, setting it on fire and destroying at least one Iranian aircraft.

BOMBAY, Aug. 27 (Reuter).— "the appointment of Ministers from cluding one general and over 500

MEET AND

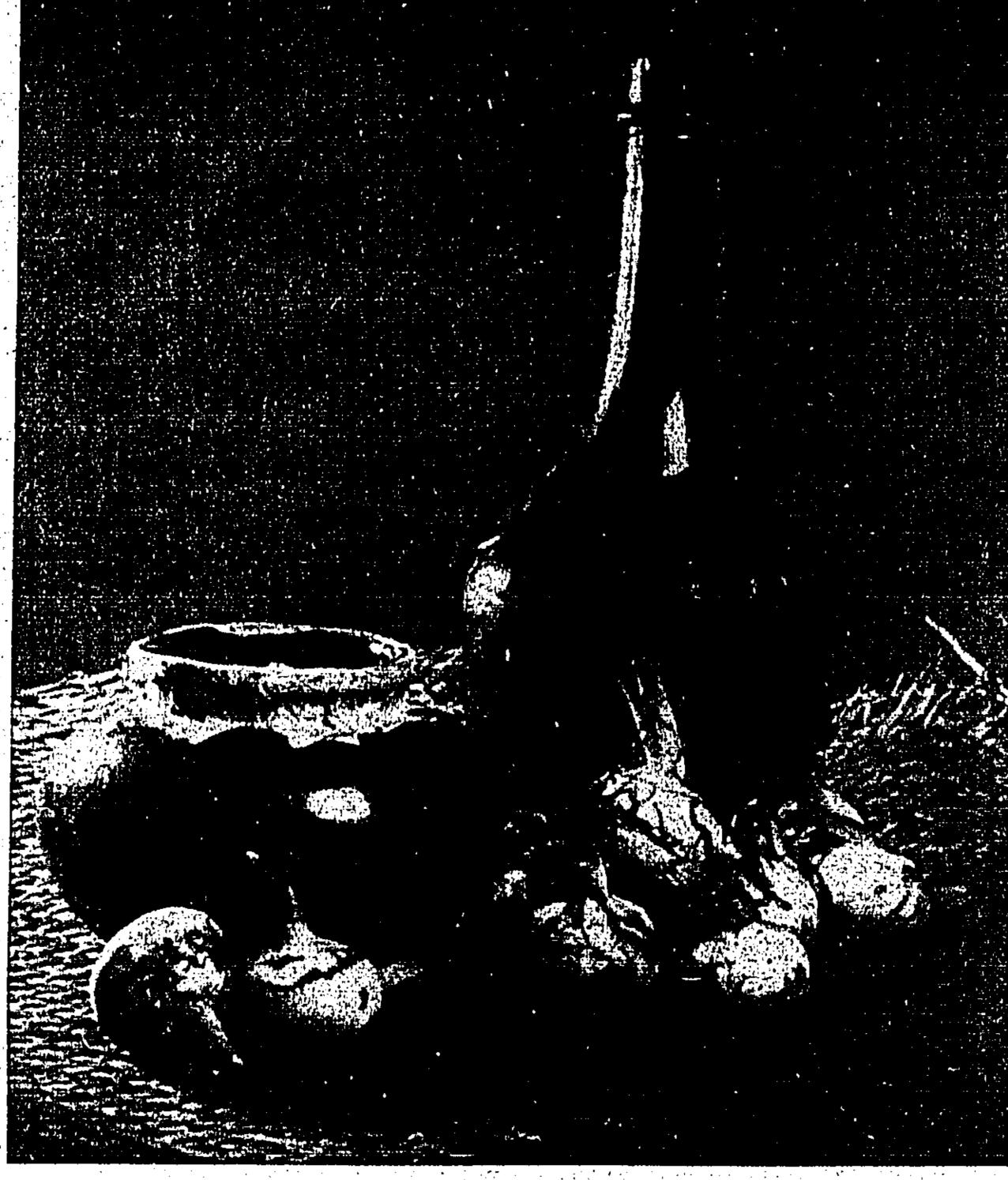
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Germans And Italians Taken Prisoner In Iran Action

SIMLA, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—It is learned here that a large number of Germans and Italians are among the prisoners taken at Bandar Shapur. Many Iranian naval prisoners were also taken at Bandar Shapur and Khorramshah.

It is now known that air- | Moreover, it is felt that the Iranian |

occupation of Bandar Shapur, Khor- position. ramshah, Sylalmanyah and Qasarsh- Hope is expressed in London to-day ramshah along the Shatt-al-Arab reach a peaceful solution. British hands.

River, the British have occupied a naval floating dock secured in a passage of the river between Baseigh and Abadan. Abadan Island is completely clear-

cd of Iranians. Ready To Temporise?

(BY "REUTER'S" DIPLOMATIC

CORRESPONDENT) LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).—Now that the blow has fallen, the Iranian Government seem disposed to come forward with fresh proposals of more comprehensive character. It i believed that the Shah informed Sir Reader Bullard, the British Minister whether he planned to send a naval in Teheran, that the Iranian Government would be willing to expel al Germans except a few indispensable technicians within a week and even those would be removed as soon as

substitutes could be trained. manoeuvres this offer suggest a somewhat tardy; appreciation of the circumstances.

The proposals of the Iranian Government will no doubt receive the fullest consideration, but it is obvious that the military operations that LONDON, Aug. 27 (British Wire-have been initiated cannot be less).—Among the latest list of suspended until the British and R.A.F. awards is that of a bar to the Soviet Governments are satisfied that D.S.O. gained by Group Captain 'all potential menace from the Axis Francis Beamish who, between

Justice of Reasons

While there is no confirmation in to duty displayed by Group Captain Government may seek a peaceful he has set a magnificent example." settlement with Britain and Russia, Group Captala Beamish, who was appreciates the formidable nature of 1925 and gained the A.F.C. in 1939. into Iran, "Reuter's" Diplomatic 1940 and the D.F.C. in November decision that the Governor should be

borne troops were landed at the Government must by this time be Hastkhel area to protect the convinced of the justice of the reamployees of the Oil Company. convinced of the justice of the reamployees of the Oil Company. The British are now in complete which the Allies attach to Iran's

sikh. The whole area west of Khor- that the Shah might see his way to River right down to Abadan is in It is learned that the British Minister at Teheran saw the Shar On the south bank of the Karun again to-day. . .

STALIN STALLS U. S. REQUEST TO OBSERVE WAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).
-Asked whether any naval aid was being prepared for Russia, the and sugar with a complete dis-Secretary of the Navy, Colonel regard of the needs of the Frank Knox, replied at a press con-Iranians. ference that he had nothing in mind. * He replied negatively to questions officer to the forthcoming Moscow talks or an additional Naval Attache to the Moscow Embassy.

As regards the war in Russia. Colonel Knox said the Governmen had made repeated futile requests to send American observers to the of the southwest, the existing sup-Now that the two governments fighting zone. "I wish you fellows plies will suffice for the barest needs have taken steps to reduce the evil would try to work on Joe Stalin to of the civil population only until of the German fifth columnist get some observers to the front." September 15. affairs, orders have been given to

in Iran has been effectively counter- October 1940 and March 1941 carried dut 71 operational sorties.

The official notice of the award LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) states that the "courage and devotion

SHAH SOLD ALL GRAIN TO NAZIS

Food Riots Break Out

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter). —It is authoritatively stated in London that the Iran Government, tempted by favourable credit terms which the Germans offered, have sold for export virtually the whole year's grain harvest as well as stocks of tea

Already there is much destitution, Food rlots have taken place in Sharaz, Ispahan, Yezd, Kerman and Hamadan and oven in the capital there is a serious shortage, and discontent is rife. Supplies From Iraq

It is estimated that in the oil areas In view of this lamentable state of

the General Officer Commanding the British troops to import at once into the area occupied by the British 050 tons of wheat from Iraq. This represents something like one month's supply and will meet the initial requirements. It will in due course be supplemented by further, consignments from India.

Civilian Governor For Bermuda Appointed

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter) London of reports that the Iranian Beamish are of the highest order and Viscount Knollys has been appointed Governor and C-in-C in Bermuda, succeeding Lieut-General Sir Denis there is little doubt that the Shah born in Cork, entered the R.A.F. in Kirwan Bernard, whose, resignation has been accepted by the King. the opposition of the forces moving He was awarded the D.S.O. in July The appointment follows a recent



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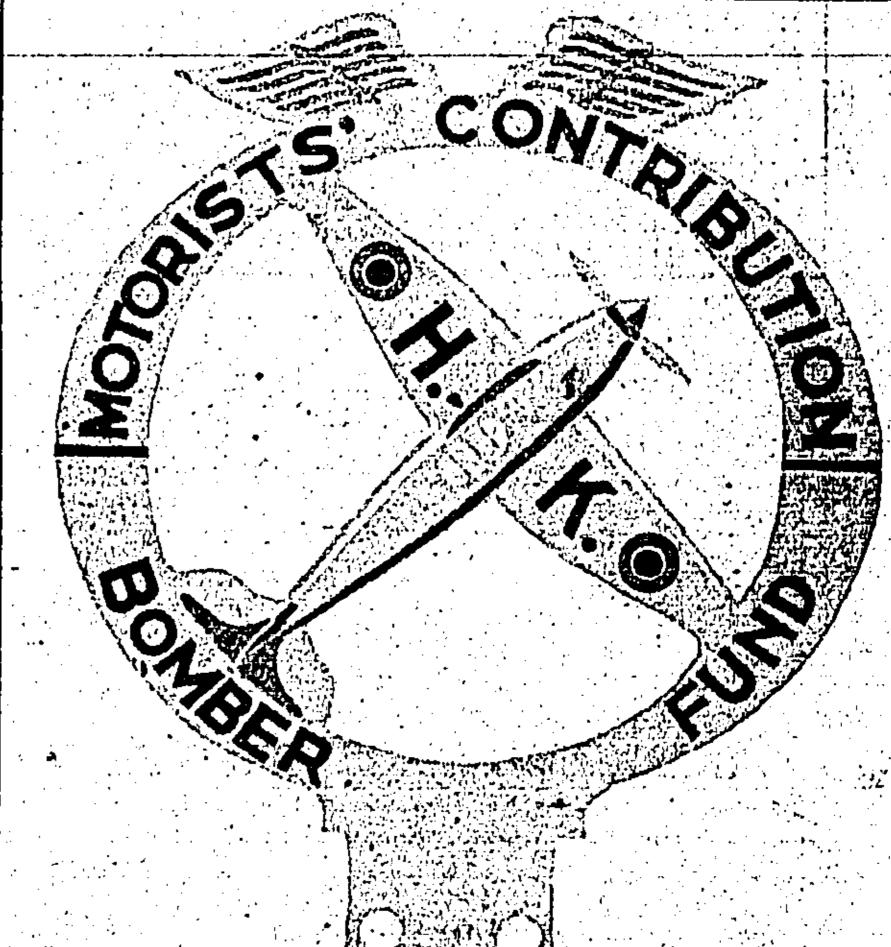
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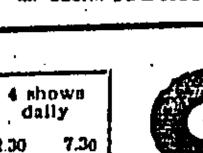
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Attempt On Life Of Pro-German Laval

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p.m. and in a clear voice said that this revere reticence of Russian that the bullets had been success—degree of nervousness especially us degree of nervousness especially us degree of nervousness especially us failure of our international lit leaves the field clear for resounding diplomacy."

The bullet wound in M. have so often proved to be exagger—The paper asserts that Japan's Deat's arm is not serious.

The third victim was Major Durvy whose condition is not serious. The shooting occurred during the flag-raising ceremony in the barracks courtyard when 1,200 volunteers were made ready to go to Poland. Who's Who

M. Deat is regarded as one of the most outspoken pro-German, anti-Petain figures in Paris. Major Durvy is a member of the National Popular Rassemblement Party in Paris-an unti-Petain political organisation sponsored by Germans. Deat is also a member of this group.

the same time from Paris where he sible that the Russian commanders had instituted anti-terrorist, anti- have some cards up their sleeves. Communist special courts.

Condition Not Grave the organs.

youth organization, enlisted in the the Germans have captured Velikije happened recently urged Konoye to youths who were being mobilised. Laval's operation last 40 minutes. M. Rene De Chambrun, another former member of the Cabinet, arrived from Vichy at 9.30 p.m. and went directly to the hospital, Incident Described

LONDON, Aug. 27 (Reuter).— zovsky. Pierre Laval and Marcel Deat were shot at and wounded-though not noon, says the Vichy news agency. Paul Colette, aged 29.

afterwards made the following state- them." ment to the press, according to the Paris Radie: "This afternoon Laval and Deat

have been the victims of an attack! under the following circumstances: . Inspection of Barracks "At Versailles the first French

volunteers of the anti-Bolshevist Legion were to enter their barracks. At the beginning of the ceremony, tactics while its gunners kept up a the French colours were holsted and La Marseillaise was sung for the planes. first time in occupied territory.

population in a procession, in which time for checking scores. was present, passed under the porch of the barracks. According to preliminary investigations, Laval and Deat must have been immediateto which I pald no particular attenserved Laval, supported by some people. He said 'They have hit me.' the Versailles Hospital.

"Deat was also wounded. Deliberate Attack

has admitted that he joined the or the fighter escort. Legion for the purpose of committing the attack.

"Deat was also shot in the arm.

not considered to be serious." To Shoot Someone

Magistrate, Colette said that he was and left blanketed with flames.

Legion with the idea of shooting Blenheim gunner.
down someone. The only man I could recognise among the person-[Laval. That is why I fired at him." ages was the former Prime Minister. The inquiry is still continuing.

Strong Russian Counter-Attacks

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

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with extreme reserve.

Leningrad Area There is no further news of fighting in the Leningrad area nor, more reasonable." left flank of Timoshenko and

right of Marshal Budenny. The shooting threatened to, innugurate a wave of German reprisals
inasmuch as the new Nazi orders
provide for severe penalties for antiNazi, anti-Vichy troublemakers
The French Government was informed by telephone at 8.30 p.m. of
the attacks. The Minister of Justico,
M. Barthelmey arrived in Vichy at
the same time from Paris where he

Having failed in their binz taches
appreciable results,
having out that it is decidedly
unpleasant for Japan to see shipments of military fuel sent to an
unknown destination passing right
unknown destination passing right
unknown destination passing vight
to separate the three Russian comthe obst chance of
signed to work against the bost interests of Japan, cannot be overto appreciable results. Borislav Captured

BERLIN, Aug. 27 (UP). - Radio At 10 p.m. the Versailles hospital Berlin to-day announced that Borlsaid that Laval's condition was not slav, near the mouth of the Daleper grave. The builet entered the right river has been captured. The town the abdomen without tearing the taken individually with heavy hand intestine and went out the left side to hand fighting. Five Soviet butwithout seriously injuring any of tallong reinforced by ploneers were destroyed, 1,500 were taken prisoner The assailant, Paul Collette, al- and the streets are strewn with dead. though he belonged to a Communist According to a special communique,

dead is estimated at 40,000. Huge German Losses

Hungarian, Claims shot at and wounded—though not BUDAPEST, Aug. 27 (UP).—A change in the Cabinet might not be seriously—at Versailles this after—communique issued to-day states that immediate in the event of Konoye communique issued to-day states that Hungarian troops have crossed the deciding to adopt stronger policies. The assailant was a young man, Lower Dnieper at several points The Soviets "threw all available Tallinn Count Fernand de Brinon, French forces into the cast. bank of the Ambassador in the Occupied Zone, Dnieper, but counter-attacks repulsed

ENEMY CONVOYS SMASHED

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concentrated fire on the enemy

'One gunner alone, according to the

on the seaward side.

"The alleged attacker has been Fighters were seen but they stood arrested. He is a young man who off not engaging either the Blenhelms

Largest Ship Sunk A Blenheim attacked the largest "Laval was shot in the arm and ship of the convoy from a height of in his side. The bullet has been ex- 50 feet, dropping a bomb which blew all the top works off midships, caus-ing a billow of black smoke to im-"The conditions of the victims are mediately cover the entire vessel, Another Blenheim dropped a bomb on the same ship which broke up quickly and sank.

Brought before an examining In all, four other ships were hit born at Mondeville in the Depart- Both fighters and bombers machine-ment of Calvados. "I only arrived gunned bridges and decks of many in Versailles this afternoon as a ships, "Nothing could have lived on volunteer," he said.

those bridges after we had put such "I had decided to enlist in the loads of lead in them", says one

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Stability Of Tokyo Cabinet Threatened

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since the start of the Russian for the Germans to attempt to drive tire attention is focussed on the tankers passing near Japan, the M. Laval telephoned to his speaks of severe fighting all along the editorial to-day says, "It is not wife from the hospital at 8.45 specifically. It must be admitted just a problem of oil shipments The Russian communique again "Nichi Nichi" newspaper in an

ated that they are always treated representation to the United States regarding the matter of fuel shipment was "almost too

significant still, is there any more The leader stresses once uguin the information available on the sub- consideration that while the Soviet ject of the Russian counter-offensive Union and the United States may at Gomel. Considerable importance consider the shipments perfectly is attached to this Soviet attack as legal from the standpoint of Inter-it is felt it may have a decisive in- national Law and justifiable because fluence in the Surrian satient at they are from one neutral to another, Kley. Here again one is very near such shipments are nevertheless an to the point of junction between the affront to Japan "who is being disthe criminated against and taken udvun-

Having failed in their blitz tactics Pointing out that it is decidedly

anti-Communist Legion which ex- Luki where they took over 30,000 adopt a "stronger leadership" which plained his presence amongst the prisoners and 400 guns. The Soviet diplomats interpret to mean that the Premier is unable to continue with his present fence-sitting policy and MOSCOW, Aug. 27 (UP). - The this would probably result in the Germans lost 80,000 dead and wound- establishment of a complete war ed, 200 tanks, 100 guns and 100 planes cabinet when the army, for the first in the battle of Gomel according to time, would take responsibility for a report from General Ivan Bere- firing policy without the civilian

However, it is thought that any

In Mass Of Flames

Reports reaching here state that

Gigantic flares in the sky are (1995) clearly visible from cities near

Taillnn. Thereafter official visitors inspected Air Ministry. News Service, fired the port and its ships were set on the barracks.

1,500 rounds. He saw pieces fall off fire, but it is now believed that the "Thousands of the Versailles a Messerschmitt, but there was no entire city has been made a victim of the Russian scorched earth policy. Blenheim Worsted. According to Helsinki reports, The flack ships put up a flerce de- flames are visible from 50 miles fence and one Blenhelm was seen to across the gulf. The newspaper fly through the thick of the barrage, "Aftonbladet" quotes the Soviet ly behind me. I heard faint reports receive a hit and dive into the sea. Radio to the effect that not only to which I paid no particular atten- About half an hour later, Blen-Tallinn, but all of Estonia is burning tion.—A few moments-later, I ob- helms with a fighter escort, found and there is not even a sack of oats served Laval, supported by some an even larger convoy off the Dutch left, not a single tower remains and people. He said They have hit me. coast. There were two lines of not a single bomb is to be found. "He was immediately removed to merchantmen staggered in line astern Oil and other plants have been the Versailles Hospital. with flack ships at the four corners destroyed while counter-revolution-of the convoy, and two in the middle ists and friends of Germany have been liquidated.

Claim Germans

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, Aug. 27 (UP).-The official German news agency claims to-day that German troops have reached and cut off the main Leningrad-Moscow rallway at an undisclosed point.

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change in the Cabinet might not be

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 27 (UP).-German troops which are closing in on Tallinn from the south and east will find only the burning and smoking ruins of the most beautiful city in the Baltic.

It is originally believed that only

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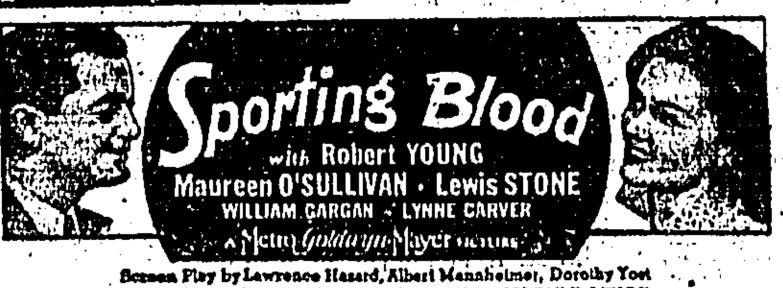
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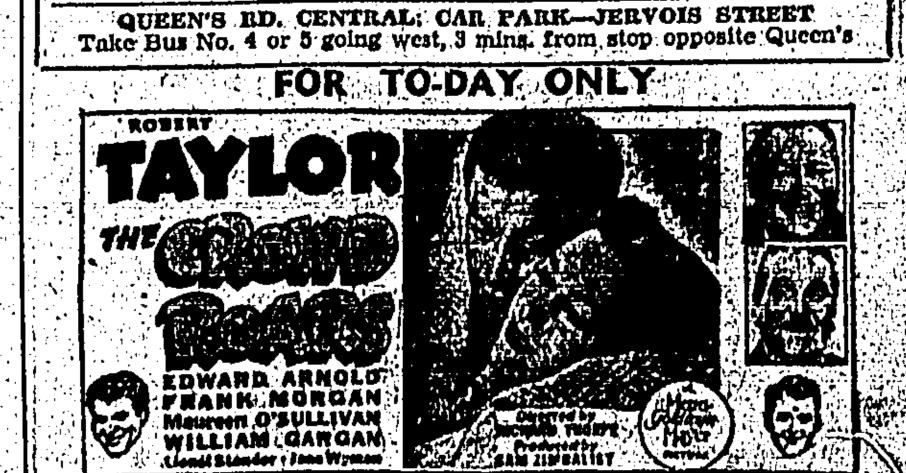
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